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Administrators Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of St. Clair co. Administrator of the estate of Benj. B. Tolbert, late of said county, deceased, on the 7th day of July, 1863. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred, and those indebted will please make payment.

July 18. INGRILLIS, Adm.

DESERTED.

DESERTED John B. Griffin of Capt. Forney's company [43d Ala. Cav.] from Cahoba Springs Hospital, Ga., on the 23d day of May, 1863. Said Griffin is six feet high, weighs about 180 pounds, 33 years old [illegible] and inclined to be round shouldered. Thirty dollars will be paid for the apprehension and delivery of him to his command. Sent to the hospital on account of having received an accidental shot in the foot.

ALEX. O. STEWART, Lieut.
Commanding Co. G.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.
$25 REWARD.

Stolen or strayed from my house on the 5th day of June, one iron gray mare, thirteen or fourteen hands high, five years old last spring; good trotter, and general gait racking, fine walker. Has some small scars on her back, caused by the saddle; a lump under her chin, looks like it had been a fistula or some marks of the gear also on her hurt slightly. I will pay the above reward for the apprehension and delivery of said mare at my house, 10 miles from Centre, on the road leading from Centre to Lebanon in Cherokee county Ala.

MARY E. RAINS,
July 4 a Soldier's wife

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the firm of Jno. [illegible] & Brother, will please call and settle, without cost or delay. Any having claims will please present them for payment.

JNO. D. BOKE, surviving partner.
June 6th, 1863.—3m.

ARREST THE DESERTERS.

DESERTED from the camp of 25th Ala. Regt., near Shelbyville, Tenn., on the 3d inst. Private Geo. W. Abney, aged 21 years, blue eyes, dark hair, 5 feet 10 inches high. Wm. S. Avery, aged 22 years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, six feet one inch high. John A. Avery, aged 20 years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, six feet one inch high.

Also four others who deserted on the 11th inst. to-wit—G. C. Stevenson, aged 19 years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, six feet high. Robert Wilkinson, aged 21 years, gray eyes, dark hair, fair complexion, five feet 11 inches high. The said deserters live in Beat No. 19, Calhoun county, Ala. Aaron J. Davis, aged 28 years, blue eyes, dark hair, fair complexion six feet high. Lewis S. Dean, aged 27 years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion five feet 9 in hes high. These last five in Beat No. 17, Calhoun county, Ala. I earnestly call upon the citizens of Beats Nos 19 and 17 to arrest the said deserters that they may be brought to justice and the country saved from disgrace.

They are all members of Co. I, 25th. Ala.

W. P. TOWELL, Capt.
Co. I, 25th Ala. Regt.

Military Notice.

TALLADEGA, Ala., July 27, 1863.

THE 49th Alabama Regiment is ordered to rendezvous at TALLADEGA, Ala., on the 18th, eighteenth day of August, for organization. Recruits are urged to be present. I am authorized to recruit. [illegible]

O. P. SNEDDEN,
Lt. Col. Commanding 49th Ala. Regt.

YOUNG AND GILL,

RALLY! RALLY!!

I am here with a detach of men from Maj. Gen. Joseph Wheeler's "escort" "Powell Dragoons" commanded by Capt. W. S. Reese, for the purpose of getting recruits for this company. All who may wish to join will meet me at this place on the 18th of Aug. *None but reliable men need apply.* I will be in this county and Cherokee until that time. Information concerning me [illegible] during the time, can be had by application to Gen. W. O. Hutchinson, or Judge Woods at Jacksonville, J. F. Bailey at Cross Plains, John McGeugie, near Pleasant Gap Cherokee county, or Emly Lokey, near Coloma, Cherokee county.

Lt. F. A. Goodlyle of this company will be at Jacksonville from the 18th of August, and will muster into service those who may call on him.

J. M. ANDERSON, 1st Lieut.
Gen. Wheeler's Escort.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Calhoun County.
Court of Probate for said County, Special Term, July the 17th, A. D. 1863.

THIS day came Robert McCain, Admr. of the estate of Susan E. McCain, dec'd, and filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of his interests administration as the Administratrix of the estate of J. H. McCain deceased.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 18th day of August next, be set for hearing said settlement.

It is ordered by the court that notice of the time and place of said settlement be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, for three weeks, as a notice to all persons interested in said estate to be and appear at my office in the town of Jacksonville on said 15th day of June next, to contest said settlement if they desire.

A. WOODS,
July 23. Judge of Probate.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Thos. A. Parr, dec'd, on the 9th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and those indebted are requested to make payment.

July 25. JOHN A. SPAULDING, Adm.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Alcenth B. Peinck dec, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of St. Clair co. Alabama on the 17th day of July, 1863, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

July 25. ALEXANDER'S Adm.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Matthew Pickle, late of Calhoun co. deceased, having been granted on the 14th day of April, 1863, by Hon. Alex. Woods, Judge of Probate of Calhoun county, Ala., notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and those indebted are requested to make payment.

J. B. PICKLE, Adm.
May 14, 1863.

NOTICE
TO THE HEIRS OF JOSEPH LANGLEY, DECEASED.

JOSEPH LANGLEY, of Caswell county, North Carolina, died seized of a tract of land in said county, which the undersigned as his executor, has sold on a credit of six months, for ten thousand, one hundred dollars, and the proceeds of sale are to be distributed among all his heirs. This is therefore to give notice to said heirs to prove their identity before me, on or before the 8th day of July next, and receive their respective shares.

F. A. WILEY, Ex'r.
Caswell county, N. C. January 1st 1863.
May 9, 1863.

LIVERY STABLE.

THE undersigned respectfully informs the public that he has rented the Livery Stables of Pickett & Farmer, and is now prepared to accommodate travellers by conveyance to any point desired, and to hire horses, buggies, Hacks and four horse Coach.

A number of years experience in the management of horses gives him confidence in his ability to give satisfaction to those who may desire his aid, and he therefore solicits the liberal patronage of the public.

J. B. GREGG, JR.
May 16, 1863.

D. A. FLOYD & CO.
Commission Merchants and
General Agents,
CROWN'S, ALABAMA.

[illegible]

Receipts of Selected Claims

[illegible]

STOVES! STOVES!!

[illegible]

Administrator's Notice.

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July 25. JOHN A. SPAULDING, Adm.

STATE WHISKEY
—AND—
ALCOHOL.

THE undersigned, agent for the State of Alabama, at Jacksonville, has now in store, for the following counties for sale to Druggists, merchants and Physicians only, and in the original packages, State Whiskey and Alcohol, upon affidavit filed in the following form:

To Druggists and Merchants:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } I do solemnly
County, } swear that I will not use, dispose of or sell the whiskey, (or alcohol, as the case may be) purchased by me from J. B. Gregg, Agent of State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical, chemical and mechanical purposes, and that I will not dispose of or sell the same in quantities less than a quart, nor to any person for recreation, other than physicians, for their legitimate practice in their profession, nor for more than twenty-five per cent. profit, nor permit any one in my employment or under my control to do so.

To Physicians:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } I do solemnly
County, } swear that I will not use, sell or dispose of the whiskey (or alcohol, as the case may be) purchased by me from J. B. Gregg, Agent of the State of Alabama, at Jacksonville, except for medical, chemical and legitimate purposes, and that I will not use, sell or dispose of the same for beverage, nor will I permit or allow any person in my employment or under my control to do so.

Counties: Calhoun, Cherokee, Clay, Cleburne, Dekalb, Jackson, Marshall, St. Clair, Talladega, Randolph, Tallapoosa, Chambers, Lee, Macon, Russell, Barbour, Henry, Dale, Coffee, Pike, Bullock, Barbour, Henry, Dale, Coffee, Pike, Bullock, Russell, Macon, Lee, Chambers, Tallapoosa, Randolph, Talladega, Cleburne, Clay, Cherokee, Marshall, Dekalb, Jackson, St. Clair, Calhoun.

[illegible]

TURPENTINE AND TAR.

[illegible]

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

We have received [illegible]

[illegible]

$50 REWARD.

[illegible]

J. W. WHISNANT.
June 27, 63. Ex'r.

Editorial Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP of [illegible] has been dissolved by mutual consent. J. B. Gregg having bought out the interest of J. H. Gregg in the Livery Stable, together with all the property, books, notes and accounts of said firm; and the said J. H. Sargeant is alone authorised to settle the business of said firm, and to collect the notes and accounts of said firm.

J. H. SARGEANT,
J. B. GREGG.
May 16, 1863.

NOTICE.

[illegible]

STONE'S HOTEL
[Corner of Water and Green Streets.]
SELMA, ALABAMA.
J. M. STONE, Proprietor.

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF ALABAMA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Montgomery, Ala., July 20 1863.

By virtue of the power vested in the Executive by the Constitution of the State of Alabama, I, JOHN GILL SHORTER, Governor of said State, deeming the present an extraordinary occasion, do issue this, my proclamation, directing that the two houses of the General Assembly of said State, convene in the State Capital at Montgomery, on Monday the seventeenth day of August, A. D., 1863.

In testimony whereof, I, JOHN GILL SHORTER, Governor of the State of Alabama, have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, this the twentieth day of July, A. D., 1863, eighteen hundred and sixty three, and of the Independence of the Confederate States of America the third year.

L. S.

By the Governor.
JOHN GILL SHORTER.
P. H. BRYAN, Secretary of State.

The Battle of Williamsport—Attack upon the Confederate Wagon Train.

A correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch says that on the night of July 3rd, General Lee started his surplus wagons and wounded back to the Potomac.

To cover a train five miles long in the rear of the enemy was assigned to [illegible]

[illegible] thousand wounded and as many stragglers, with ammunition and [illegible] horses, moved across the Blue Ridge towards Chambersburg, at 8 o'clock. Only eleven hundred men to guard the immense and valuable train! It was a delicate and difficult duty. On it pushed by by roads and through storm and darkness, the groans of wounded rising above the roar of the wheels. A dreadful night! He was attacked by the enemy about 9 o'clock on the 5th. Two Yankees were repulsed. The train safely arrived here on the next day.

The enemy had burned the pontoons, and the Potomac was past fording and rising.

He stood three thousand wagons and seven thousand horses. This [illegible] never will be repaired. The enemy were advancing in heavy force. Gen. Imboden had some twelve hundred of his own. Two regiments came from Winchester just in time.

He took over the ground—planted his artillery—put every straggler in the rear—and defied a foe. His [illegible] the enemy's approach.

A portion of Stuart's cavalry crossed the river in the rear of the enemy's force in front—but a handful to oppose them. Several wounded generals would have fallen into the enemy's hands if it [illegible] Gen. Johnston, who was wounded a certain days previous in the head, rode up, a pillow [illegible] his head. The [illegible] was crowded with these poor [illegible] was an hour of great [illegible] when they reached the army of Northern Virginia safely.

About the enemy came rapidly up—[illegible] mounted infantry, under Generals Kilpatrick and Buford—a whole division, with eighteen pieces of artillery—one battalion of regular cavalry. [illegible] this force was pitted about one [illegible] half stragglers.

[illegible] seemed to be impressing all with his own purpose—to die rather than surrender. Even the wagoners caught the enthusiasm, and marched to the field; the wounded limped to the front; one game fellow expended all his ammunition, and exposed himself for raining, as he couldn't charge on one leg; another was wounded again.

Our cavalry made several efforts to charge, but couldn't stand the terrible shelling. The infantry was disappointed. The fight was stubborn, lasting till dark. The enemy never advanced from their line of battle, but were beat back two miles, and retreated in the dark and in disorder.

Everything considered, the battle of Williamsport is one of the most brilliant, as well as important, that has occurred during the war, and justifies the confidence placed in Gen. Johnston by Gen. Lee in assigning him to such an important post.

Gen. Stonewall Jackson Lee is now in command, having arrived last night. The river is falling. J. J. L.

A Remarkable Prophecy.

Private prophecies are of little account till verified by their fulfillment. We hear of one lately, nevertheless, that we offer to the reflections of our readers. Its author was a man in very humble life, a pious good Catholic, who troubled not himself with politics, and hardly ever, if ever, looked at a newspaper. He died in December, 1860—the month after Abraham Lincoln was saddled on some of the States as President. He was near his death, and friends, visiting him, were discussing the political troubles, and speculating whether South Carolina would really secede. The good man had said nothing while they were talking. After they ceased, he said: "You have been talking of what is to come. There will be a war—a bloody war between the North and South. It will last three years, and the South will then become a separate Government, but not without the help of a foreign nation. When the North and South are separated, then there will be awful troubles at the North. The troubles will last for twenty years, and a hundred years from now the country will feel the effects of them. There will be a terrible persecution of the Catholics here after the country is divided."

This good man died soon after. His pastor, residing not far from the city, is a man of great learning and talents. He says that for a long time he had known the deceased as a man of very holy and meditative life. He was not a man of intellectual cultivation but a man of prayer. Whether it were the vagaries of a dying man, or the visions of coming troubles given to a true and humble servant of God, we know not. We can only say that a subtle intellect, with a large reading of history and a keen appreciation of all the elements that are at work, if forced to utter the gloomiest and most probable of its provisions, would have said about what this pious, humble and unlettered servant of God uttered on his death-bed.—*New York Freeman's Journal.*

COL. JOHN T. MORGAN.

An Army of the Tennessee correspondent from Bragg's army writes on the 22d:

I heard yesterday of an instance of self abnegation so rare in these days of "self-seeking," that I must be permitted to notice it. John T. Morgan, the Colonel of the 51st Alabama, had been appointed brigadier general, reported at Richmond, and been assigned to the command of Rodes' brigade, when learning that his successor in the command of the regiment, Col. Jas. D. Webb, in whom we have great confidence had been killed or mortally wounded, he immediately resigned as brigadier and applied to the Secretary of War to be ordered to the command of regiment. I can very well understand the surprise which perplexed the countenance of Mr. Seddon when the resignation and its motive were placed before him, as also the admiration which lit up the face of Gen. Wheeler, when the colonel-brigadier reported to him for duty as colonel. Col. Morgan has proved an exception to Capt. Polgetty's theory of the ambition of a soldier, viz: to get promoted, pay and promotion.

FULL OF CRAVING.—Gen. Rosencranz, a few days ago, received the following pertinent (or rather impertinent) letter from an indignant private:

"General—I have been in the service for eighteen months, and have never received a cent. I desire a furlough for fifteen days, in order to return home to permanently family to the poorhouse."

The General granted the furlough.

Knoxville Register.

State of Alabama,
Calhoun County.
Probate Court, Special Term, July 31st, 1863.

THIS day came A. N. Stewart, Administrator of R. C. Evans, deceased, and filed his accounts and vouchers for a partial settlement of said Estate. Ordered that the 28th day of August, 1863, be set for making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 28th day of August, 1863, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Calhoun County.

TAKEN up by D. T. Ledbetter, and posted before L. W. Cannon, Esq. on the 25th day of July, 1863, a certain dark brown mare Mule, about six years old, 14 hands high, has some marks of the gear—appraised to the value of two hundred dollars, this 29th July, 1863.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Nancy Francis dec'd on the 25th day of May 1863, by the Probate court of Cherokee county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

June 6 D. B. HILL, Adm.

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

August 8 1863.

The Election.

GOVERNOR.

Watts,	757
Shorter,	565

CONGRESS.

Curry,	765
Cruikshank,	605

SENATE.

Walker,	668
Ellis,	631

REPRESENTATIVES.

Hames,	803
Read,	720
Ryan,	688
Martin,	562

The vote for Ferguson and Borden will be given in full returns.

One box to hear from.

The foregoing has been furnished us by Mr. Willingham, D. Shff.

From all we have heard from the district, Cruikshank is doubtless. And the returns so far received indicate the election of Watts by a large majority.

PEACE PROSPECTS.

We have believed for months, that peace would not be the result of any number of victories on either side in the present war—that it must finally be brought about by negotiation, most probably initiated by foreign intervention; and that reverses to the Southern arms would induce that intervention, sooner than successes; because we have been perfectly satisfied, that from motives of policy and interest, neither England or France would ever consent to a reconstruction of the Union, if they could prevent it. The same opinion has been expressed by papers, both in England and at the North; and movements, particularly by the French Emperor, since our late reverses have had a decided tendency to strengthen and confirm these opinions. The loss of Vicksburg and Port Hudson, aside from these considerations, has not proven so great a disadvantage as had been anticipated. Our garrison of some 30,000 at the former, and 5 or 6,000 at the latter place, instead of being penned up and beseiged have been released and will soon take the field, while the Yankees have to garrison these places and keep inactive about the same number of their own troops.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. FORNEY, recently engaged in the heroic defence of Vicksburg, has been in our place several days. He is in good health, and we are pleased to learn is not now suffering from the wound which so long and severely afflicted him.

WAR TAX.—We invite special attention of produce tax payers to the notice in to-day's paper of the appointment of Agents, and places of deposite of the tax in kind All has been arranged as conveniently for the people as possible; and the Agents are gentlemen well known to the public, not only as well qualified, but who will discharge their whole duty with correctness and fidelity.

It is most earnestly hoped that our patriotic farmers may need the injunction to have their wheat well dried and in good order to take to the places of deposit. [illegible] crying shame, [illegible] of every [illegible] of grain, so [illegible] our gallant army, [illegible] in talk. We [illegible] those who haul grain to the depositories, but while they have it loaded up, if they would continue on with it to the head of the Railroad at Blue Mountain, (as it will all have finally to go there,) they would save much trouble to Agents and extra expense to the government. They are not expected or required, however, to do this extra hauling without compensation; a fair price will be allowed by the government and arranged by the Agents.

Col R. H. Wynne, has been appointed Assessor, and H. A. Earnes, Collector, of the Confederate States War Tax for this county. These gentlemen are well qualified for the stations, and we doubt not, will proceed to the discharge of their arduous and complicated duties, with promptitude and fidelity. We bespeak for them all the favors and facilities which can be afforded by tax payers in expediting their business. We have on hands at this office printed tax lists, which the taxpayers, who live convenient, can call get, fill out at their leisure, and hand to the Assesser at any time.

MIDDLETON, ALA., Aug. 1st, 1863.

The undersigned will be at the within named places for the now named purposes: Our soldiers are now nobly battling for our rights, their families can and must be supported; their children educated; and the children and bereft wives of those already dead, must be cared for. Who must do this? You and I. All are equally interested; every thing is involved, and something must be done. Money is in abundance, all can contribute something to relieve them just now and administer to their necessities. Then you will see that our army will be united and Heaven will interpose in our behalf.

The mode of disbursing the fund will be made known by the undersigned at the now named times and places:

Post Oak Spring, 2d Sabbath 11 A. M., at Mt. Zion, near Alexandria, on the same day, at 3 P. M., Jacksonville at early candle light, Aug 11th, Oxford, at early candle light, Aug. 14th

J. G. BRYANT.

MR. VALLANDINGHAM has published an address to the people of Ohio, written at Niagara Falls, Canada West, where he is now in exile, accepting the nomination for Governor Among many home truths uttered in this address, Mr. Vallandingham says his arrest was the shallow contrivance of the weak despots at Washington, and that

"It was the mission of the weak but presumptuous Burnside—a name infamous forever in the ears of all lovers of constitutional liberty—to try the experiment in Ohio—aided by a judge whom I name not, because he has brought foul dishonor upon the judiciary of my country.

"It is vain to invite the States and people of the South to return to a Union without a constitution, and dishonored and polluted by repeated and most aggravated exactions of tyrannic power.—It is base in yourselves and treasonable to your posterity to surrender those liberties and rights to the creatures whom your own breath created and can destroy.

"Travelling a thousand miles and more, through nearly one half of the Confederate States, and sojourning for a time at widely different points, I met not one man, woman or child who were not resolved to perish rather than yield to the pressures of arms even in the most desperate extremity.

"If this civil war is to terminate only by the subjugation or submission of the South to force and arms, the infant of to-day will not live to see the end of it.

No; in another way only can it be brought to a close."

AN INTERESTING CEREMONY—RETALIATION REGULARLY INAUGARATED.—On yesterday at twelve o'clock, the central reception room of the Libby prison was the scene of a ceremony exceedingly interesting, though painful, yet no less painful than necessary. The Government having become thoroughly advised of the murder of two Confederate officers in Kentucky, Captains Corbin and McGraw, by Gen. Burnside, for recruiting men for the Confederate service in that State, determined at once to take measures of retaliation. On Sunday, Capt. Turner, commandant of the prison, received the order from Gen. Winder to proceed with the drawing by lot of two officers, from the three hundred held there in confinement, to suffer the death penalty in pursuance of this determination; and on yesterday at the hour above mentioned, the officers were marched down from their apartments on the second floor to the reception room. A table, at which Captain Turner stood, was placed in the centre of the room, and the prisoners were ranged in a square about it The roll was called by the clerk. Two officers were absent, and these being very ill were not deemed fit were not deemed fit subjects for the measures about to be adopted. Capt. Turner then read the order of Gen. Winder, and informed the prisoners that they were at liberty to select one of their own number, or, if they preferred it, one of their chaplains, three of whom were present, to draw the lots. They selected one of the latter, the Rev. Mr. Brown, he being the eldest. The lots consisted of the names of the officers each upon a separate piece of paper, and folded over to present a blank exterior. They were placed in a wooden box, some eighteen inches long by eight in square width, and the arrangement was that the first two names drawn out would designate the two doomed to suffer death The scene was one of great solemnity. Every man seemed endeavoring to nerve himself to dare the fate which awaited but two of their number. Mr Brown stepped forward and drew in succession two lots. One bore the name of Capt. Henry W. Sawyer, of the 1st New Jersey Infantry, and Capt John Flynn, of the 51st Indiana Infantry. A shade of relief came over the general appearance of sorrow. The two doomed men did not speak, and all remained for a moment silent. They were ordered to step forward and the rest marched back to their quarters. Upon being taken into the two men evinced some signs of agitation, and in a few minutes Sawyer wept bitterly as he sat down to write a last letter to his wife. Flynn, however, showed no further sign of emotion. They were thence taken before Gen. Winder, who duly returned them to the prison under a commitment to close confinement until the day of execution.

Richmond Enquirer.

A NEW IDEA—Elihu Burrit has a long communication in the New York Times, advocating "Reunion by Expansion." The Times ridicules the scheme presented by the learned Yankee, and gives the following synopsis of the grand project:

He has discovered that it is time to close this "great and terrible war," and that the true mode of closing it is to acknowledge the nationality of the Confederacy, and then form relations with it and with Mexico and Canada, whereby there should be a Quadruple Union of Nations, which should have one representative at foreign courts, one army and navy, one postal system, one currency and entire freedom of internal commerce, and yet each have a separate Congress and separate local government.

Latest News.

RICHMOND, July 27.

The correspondence relative to the seizure of the Will-o'-the-wisp by the U. S. ship Montgomery, shows the British government is dissatisfied with the decision of the prize court, as they considered some compensation should have been granted to the owners.

Seward replied that the owners might carry the case to the Court of Appeals.

Russel expressed his regret at this answer, and hoped Seward would reconsider the matter as the case presented so clear an instance of seizure.

Seward in a long reply said it was not incumbent on the United States to withdraw confidence in a judicial tribunal.

The London Times is glad that Seward's peevish letter was not replied to.

Henry Ward Beecher, in a speech in London, charged the abolitionists of Great Britain with being false to their principles, inconsistent, and deficient in back-bone.

CHARLESTON, July 27.

All quiet this morning. There was occasional firing yesterday and last night on the enemy's works on Morris Island. The enemy are erecting batteries about 600 yards from Wagner. The workmen are annoyed from our guns on James Island. The gunboats and monitors have been comparatively quiet for the last two days.—They were supposed to be taking on ammunition all day yesterday. Several additional blockaders and transports arrived yesterday—some with troops. The enemy are supposed to be landing more troops at Little Folly Inlet. There will probably be an attack some time this week.

CHATTANOOGA, July 27.

A small squad of Yankees appeared at Bridgeport this morning and attempted to capture a steamboat. Our pickets gave them so warm a reception that they fled precipitately.

Parties from Middle Tennessee represent the sufferings of the people as horrible. Some of the most wealthy families are drawing rations from the Yankee commissaries, and others are compelled to beg bread for their families in the camps of the enemy.

RICHMOND, July 27.

The New York Tribune of the 24th says notwithstanding comparative quiet prevails throughout the city, the spirit of riot still lives and watches for an opportunity to make night hideous with the halter. There is scarcely a doubt that the rioters still maintain their organization, and upon the slightest pretext will renew the atrocities of last week. Threats have been, and are still being made, to burn the city Samuel J. Tilden, Senator Morgan, and Judge Pierpont are in Washington to ask the Government to suspend the draft as it is generally believed that the Irish servant girls will turn incendiaries in a body if the law is executed.

A Cairo correspondent of the Tribune says that Gen. Pillow with two thousand men, has taken Fort Hickman overlooking Fort Henry. His object is to control the navigation of Tennessee and Cumberland rivers.

CHARLESTON, July 28.

Everything is progressing favorably. About twenty seven vessels of all kinds, including the Ironsides and monitors, are lying below.

A few more transports arrived yesterday. Some twenty vessels are reported in Stono

A brig was run aground, and was being stripped by the Yankees yesterday afternoon. One killed and one wounded at Shell Point Battery was reported up to this morning. There was heavy shelling there all day.

RICHMOND, July 28.

The N. Y. Herald of the 25th has a lengthy dispatch from Washington, of which the following is the substance:—

"It is now admitted by the most sanguine members of the administration, that never were our foreign affairs in so menacing a state. England, so official advices indicate, is determined to furnish the South with an iron clad navy. It is equally certain that the Emperor of France has made up his mind definitely to interfere in our domestic affairs. The fall of Vicksburg and Port Hudson and the Rebel defeat at Gettysburg, will not it is believed by the most sagacious friends of the administration, alter the character of the action France and England have determined to adopt On the contrary, the moment there is danger of the North overpowering the South intervention wil be tried to compel a separation upon which England and France are determined to cripple the power of this great Republic.

"France will preserve her dominion in Mexico, with these indications before her.

Seward and the President consider this the most critical time, so far as regards our relations with foreign powers since the commencement of the war.

"From what I hear, I am inclined to the belief that measures are now on foot to put an end to the war. It is not impossible that we may see a sudden change in parties next month."

RICHMOND, July 28.

The fight heretofore reported occurred on the 23d at Manassas Gap Wright's brigade, commanded by Col. Walker, 3d Georgia, approached the Gap on Friday, it was guarded by a force estimated at 6,000 Wright halted to wait reinforcements which were moving in the same direction. The Yankees taking advantage of the disparity of his numbers, attacked Wright's brigade. A severe engagement ensued lasting several hours, the Confederates retiring with a loss of 240 killed and wounded. Among the latter was Col. Walker, wounded in the thigh.—The enemy's loss was heavy. Col. Walker arrived here this evening.

It is reported that Grant has joined Meade with 15,000 men.

CHATTANOOGA, July 28.

A dispatch to the Rebel from Dublin Depot, Va., from Ellsworth, Morgan's operator, says a party of three hundred of Morgan's men crossed the Ohio river on Sunday, the 19th, fourteen miles below Parkersburg. Morgan was there but was prevented from crossing by gunboats. He moved on the other side with a large party of men. At the last news from Morgan he was near Winchester Ohio, tearing up the railroad.

RICHMOND, July 30.

The Baltimore American of the 28th says there is no longer any doubt about Lee's army having eluded Meade, and is again in nearly the old position in and around Culpepper and Gordonsville. At the latest advices, on Saturday, the army of the Potomac held the line of the Rappahannock between Kelley's Ford and Waterloo.

By an arrival at New York, advices from the City of Mexico of the 10th had been received. A council of notabilities, acting under French inspiration had declared that the Mexicans desire an Empire as a form of Government, and proclaimed Maximilian of Austria Emperor, and in the event of his not accepting, Napoleon is to select a person

There was an immense conflagration at Havana on the 22d at Regia Wharf. it is estimated that four million dollars worth of sugar was destroyed

Hon. J. J. Crittenden died at Frankfort on Sunday, from general debility without a struggle. His age was seventy seven.

RICHMOND, July 31.

The New York papers have full details of the repulse of the Federal troops at their assault on Battery Wagner on the 18th inst They admit loss of 1,500 in killed wounded and missing The Tribune denounces the attack as a disastrous failure, and calls upon Lincoln to ascertain who is responsible

CHARLESTON, August 3.

Slow firing continued on both sides yesterday and last night. Our casualties on Morris Island yesterday were two killed and fourteen wounded.

All quiet this morning.

RICHMOND, August 2.

There was a cavalry fight yesterday near Brandy Station, between Hampton's brigade and three brigades of the enemy, lasting several hours. The Confederates fell back upon infantry supports, and the enemy were then repulsed. Our loss was less than one hundred killed and wounded. Colonel Baker commanding the brigade, was severely wounded in the right arm. Col. Black, of the 1st South Carolina, was severely wounded in the right hand Both arrived here this afternoon.

Col. Young was also wounded

The Baltimore American of the 1st has a telegram dated Washington, July 31, which states that from information received to-day it is believed that Lee massed his forces at Culpepper on Wednesday, and has made other preparations to give us battle on the Rappahannock. The Rapidan is fortified South of Culpepper.

A serious riot occurred recently at Belfast, Ireland, between the Catholics and Protestants.

The Tribune's correspondent gives an authorized contradiction to the report of the Herald relative to the discussion of a proposition for peace in the Cabinet at Washington.

It says Chase, Stanton and Welles are of the opinion that slavery should cease in all sections. Blair Seward and Bates claim that the interest of political economy demands that emancipation should be gradual. With the exception of this difference, the Cabinet is a unit

New York papers of the 30th ult. say the Secretary of War has decided that Morgan and all his officers shall be confined in the Ohio penitentiary until the Rebel authorities release the officers of the negro troops captured some time ago in Georgia.

There has been another invasion excitement in Kentucky, caused by an advance force of cavalry under Pegram, fifteen hundred strong, towards Lexington.

Four hundred Federals were attacked at Richmond, and being overpowered were badly cut up.

The people South of Kentucky river have been panic-stricken, and have fled north Martial law has been declared in Lexington, and the citizens have been called to arms.

A telegram from Washington, 29th to the New York Times says that Gillmore has been promised all the reinforcements he needs. Charleston must fall if energy and fifteen inch guns will accomplish the result.

From Mississippi.

MORTON, August 1.—A large number of chiefs and braves of the Choctaw tribe passed through here yesterday on a visit to their Great Father at Richmond.

Grant has established a garrison of about 2,000 at Natchez.

Wirt Adams' scouts bring intelligence that Banks attacked Dick Taylor at Donaldsonville on the 23d ult., and was defeated with a loss of 4,000 prisoners.

Taylor's and Magruder's forces have since united on the Teche river, which, if true, will enable Taylor to place in position the siege guns captured at Thibodeauxville, and blockade the river below.

DOING WELL.—The Augusta Constitutionalist is informed that the Augusta Powder works, now getting fairly into operation, have made and furnished to the army, during the last year, one million pounds of powder. Their operations for the next year will reach a much higher figure.

☞ Divers have already succeeded in securing $40,000 of goods, and raised one box containing $32,000 in specie from the wreck of the Anglo Saxon, off the coast of Nova Scotia. They also brought up one hundred and sixty dead bodies, and caused them to be buried on shore.

PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR OF ALABAMA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 24, 1863.

I have received authentic intelligence that formidable expeditions are preparing in North Alabama to devastate the interior of our State. The late call of the President for all up to forty-five years of age, takes all the militia, both officers and men, who are subject to conscription. I have convened the Legislature, to meet on the 17th proximo, in the hope that this body will increase the State forces, by extending the age of Military service

We have, however, no time to wait for Legislative action, and I call upon the men of Alabama, at once to rally to defend their homes and property. The most efficient mode of organization, is by forming volunteer companies under the act of Congress of 21st August, 1861, for six months. By the regulations of the War Department, under this act, Cavalry companies must consist, at least, sixty privates, one Captain, one first Lieutenant, and two second Lieutenants, five Sergeants and four Corporals. Infantry Companies, of, at least, sixty-four privates, and the same number of officers as cavalry. These companies will will not be called out, until the exigency which demands their services arises, and will be allowed to return to their usual pursuits, so soon as the exigency has passed. They receive no pay or allowances, except when in actual service. The other mode, is by organizations under the act of Congress, of October 13th, 1862, and each company must consist of, at at least twenty men. Companies organized under either of the acts referred to, will be held by the Secretary of War for local defense, and will not be required to go beyond the limits of the State; they should be officered by competent men who have seen service, if such can be obtained.

JNO. GILL SHORTER

ATTENTION!

Capt Bush's company of mounted men will meet at the Court house in Jacksonville, at 10 o'clock Saturday the 8th inst, for the purpose of receiving powder and caps, and also some few guns will be distributed to those that have none. W. F. BUSH, Capt.

ATTENTION!

All those who wish to enlist in Capts. Francis and Kelly's companies, can have an opportunity by calling on me at Jacksonville before the 17th inst.

D. W. WARLICK, Lieut.
Co. E, 30th Ala. Regt.

Agents in Calhoun county, Ala., for the Collection of the Tax in Kind,

Supervising Agent: W. F. Bush.

Collecting Dist. No. 1, Jacksonville.—W. F. Bush

Collecting Dist. No. 2, White Plains.—M P. Johnson.

Collecting Dist. 3, Blue Mountain.—Thos. A. Keith

Collecting Dist, No 4, Oxford.—W. B Turnipseed.

The above arrangement of Collecting Districts and the appointing of agents is hereby approved.

JAMES E PEEBLES, Capt.,
& A. Q. M. Tax in Kind, 4th Con. Dist.

August 1st, 1863.

MR. GRANT:—From the above, the Tax payers in Kind will see that the Government Agent has made arrangement for the collection of the same. The War Tax Assessor is now in the discharge of his duties, and as soon as he can make a partial return, Depot Houses will be established in the different Districts, and sacks will be ready to be delivered

Tax payers must bear in mind that wheat to be received by the agents, must be well dried before delivery.

W. F. BUSH,
aug 8 Supervising Agent.

NOTICE TO CONSCRIPTS.

Pursuant to General Order No. 82, Lt. E. Ledyard, Enrolling Officer for the 3d Congressional District, of Alabama, and all others whom it may concern, are hereby notified that the Examining Board will attend at the times and places below named, for the purpose of examining Conscripts. Any person subject to examination, and unable to attend at his place of render upon account of illness, will send up a certificate, specifying the cause of the [illegible] and its probable duration [illegible] respectable physician [illegible] ty:

Centre,	August 10th and 11th
Debtmen,	" 13th, " 14th
Ashville,	" 17th, " 18th
Gadsden,	" 20th, " [illegible]
Guntersville,	" [illegible]

O. M. DOZIER, [illegible] C. S.
Prest. Ex. Board, Cru. Dist., Ala.

July 29th, 1863.

Agreeable to the above notice, all persons between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, whether resident of any other portion of the State, or of other States, are hereby required to report themselves to the Examining Board and Enrolling officer, for examination and enlistment, on the days fixed in the foregoing notice.

This notice includes every person between the ages specified, those who have been heretofore examined and discharged, either by the State or Confederate surgeons; those who have at any time been discharged from the army; those who have furnished substitutes; and any and all persons who may claim exemption on any ground whatever. No person between the ages specified will be excused from attendance at the places appointed. Conscripts must come prepared with at least three days rations.

LT. E. LEDYARD,
Enrolling Officer, 3d Cong. Dist.

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Jacksonville Male Academy.

THE next session of this institution will commence on Monday the 10th day of August, 63; under the continued superintendence of Rev. R. J. C. HALL. Terms $[illegible] per [illegible] advance on former rates. Aug 8, 1863.

Committed,

TO the Jail of Jackson County, Alabama, on the [illegible] August, 1863, a Negro man who his name is OWEN, and he belongs to Dunk Campbell, Cherokee county, Ala. [illegible] copper color, about 20 years [illegible] inches high, and weighs about [illegible] pounds. The owner of said negro [illegible] to come forward, prove property, pay charges, take him away, or he will be dealt with according to the law direct.

J. G. WEL[illegible], S. J. C.

Aug. 5.

$25 REWARD

STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber in Jacksonville, about 3 weeks since, a small mare mule, whitish gray color. Any information of said animal will be thankfully received or the above reward paid for her delivery.

G. W. STEELE.

Aug. 5, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of July, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala., on the estate of Eliza Goodwin, decd., all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to us, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment immediately.

A. Q. KIRKSEY,
J. W. TATUM, Adm'rs.

Aug. 8.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

THE undersigned Administrators of the Estate of Eliza Goodwin, deceased, under an order from the Probate court of Calhoun county, will, on

Thursday the 8th day of September next,

At the late residence of said deceased, to the highest bidder for cash, all the personal property, except the slaves, consisting of

Mules, Horses, Hogs and Cattle, Wheat, Corn and Bacon, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils of all kinds,

Besides various other articles—the sale to commence at the usual hour.

A. Q. KIRKSEY,
Aug. 8. JOHN W. TATUM, Adm'rs.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Jane Prater, deceased, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala., on the 6th day of July, 1863; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

July [illegible] NANCY BROWDER, Adm'r.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of C. L. Morgan, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 22d day of June, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

jun 27 CYNTHIA A. SHERIDAN, Adm'r.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Levi Weaver, decd., having been granted to the undersigned on the 27th day of June, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred; and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

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$360 REWARD

IS offered for the following deserters, $30 each for their delivery to the jail, from company A, 50th Ala. Reg.:

A. B. Wedgeworth, is 26 years old, six feet, one inch high, fair complexion, blue eyes dark hair, enlisted in Marshall county, Ala., but will go to his mother's near Ross Wood's St Clair county Ala., deserted on the night of the 4th Aug., 1863.

Thos Wedgeworth, aged 32 years, 5 feet 9 inches high, dark hair, dark complexion and dark eyes, he will no doubt be found with his brother, left on the 4th.

Clement Little left on the night of the 4th he is about 35 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, dark complexion, dark eyes and dark hair, resides near Middleton, Calhoun county, Ala., left on the night of the 4th.

Jonas Little aged 34 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, fair complexion, light hair and blue eyes, resides near Middleton Ala., left on the night of the 4th.

N. H. Blair, claims to be 22 years of age, 5 feet feet high, fair complexion, blue eyes and light hair, resides at Minnesota on the river in Calhoun county, Ala., left on the night of the 4th.

T. J Harrison, aged 32 years, 5 feet 11 inches high, dark complexion, blue eyes, dark hair, resides in Alinton's beat, Calhoun county Ala., left on the night of July 23d.

W. J. Love, 30 years of age, five feet 6 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, dark hair, resides near Sulphur Spring, Calhoun co. Ala., left on the night of 23d July.

Corporal Wm D Morgan, 23 years of age 5 feet 8 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, resides in Kansas Beat Calhoun co. Ala., left on the night of 23d July.

Philip Ryan, aged 37 years five feet seven inches high, fair complexion, dark eyes, light hair, resides in Morgan county, Ala., on the night of July the 19th. private David K. Pinkston, aged 38 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark complexion, blue eyes dark hair, resides in Marshal county Ala.

Private Wm. D. Geforth, aged 32 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark complexion, dark eyes dark hair, resides in Marshal co. Ala.

J F Smith, aged 30 years, five feet eight inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, resides in Bedford county Tenn. The three last named deserters left in June last:

C E Hydricks, 36 years of age, (claims to be 42,) 5 feet 11 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, he was furloughed from hospital on the 9th day of June and has never returned to his company he lives near Gilbert's Ferry, Calhoun co. Ala.

T. K. LANKFORD, Capt. comg.
Co. A, 50th Ala. Regt.

By order of Col. Coltart.

Aug. 15, 1863.

$240 REWARD.

THIRTY dollars each will be paid for the apprehension and delivery to the nearest recruiting station, or to this regiment of the following named deserters:

Daniel Terry, aged 40 years, dark eyes, dark complexion, dark hair, 5 feet 10 inches high, born in DeKalb county, Ga., by occupation a farmer.

James Sisembre, age 25 years, blind in the right eye, dark complexion, six feet high, born in Gwinnette co. Ga.

W W Johnson, aged 23 years, gray eyes and light hair, fair complexion, 5 feet three inches high, occupation a farmer.

J P Pruitt, aged thirty-three years, dark eyes, black hair, dark complexion, six feet high, occupation a farmer.

M M Pruitt, aged 24 years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, six feet high.

Richard Bentley, aged 25 years, blue eyes, dark hair, fair complexion, 5 feet high, occupation a farmer.

All the above named persons were enlisted at Abernathy, Calhoun county Ala., on the 9th April, 1863, to serve for three years by Capt J W Wigginton.

Thos J Wallace, aged 28 years, blue eyes, very light hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 10 inches high, by occupation a farmer. Enlisted by A P Pounds, recruiting Sergt. on the 18th day of April, 1863, to serve for three years or the war.

M K Dobbs, aged thirty one years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, 6 feet high by occupation a farmer, transferred from co. A, 39th Ga. Regt, lives in Calhoun co. Ala.

The above reward will be paid for the delivery of the above named deserters or thirty dollars each for any number that may be apprehended and lodged in jail, or delivered to the army where I can get them.

J W WIGGINTON, Capt. comdg.
Co. I, 48th Ala. Regt.

Approved W. M. HARDWICK,
Lt. Col. Comdg 48th Ala. Regt.

Committed,

To the jail of Asheville, St Clair co., Alabama, a negro man, who says his name is YORKSON, and belongs to Prichard Higans of Talladega county lately removed from Madison county. Said negro is about 30 years, weighs about 165 or 175 pounds, about six feet high.

The owner of said negro is notified to come forward, prove property pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. J. C. MONTGOMERY.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Alexander Thompson decd. having been granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

Z. GOODE, adm'r
aug15, S. E. THOMPSON, adm'x.

NOTICE.

I Wish to hire one or two good stout negro men, for which I will pay a fair price.

Aug. 15. J. Z. BRADY.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Abraham C Culbreath decd late of St Clair county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

Aug. 15. ELI JONES, Adm.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of A W Montgomery, decd late of St Clair county, having been granted to the undersigned on the 30 day of Aug., 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, notice hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

JOHN ALFORD, admr. aug15.
A. A. MONTGOMERY, admx.

Executors Notice.

LETTERS testamentary upon the estate of Peter A. Green, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of St Clair county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

A. B. GREEN, exr. aug15
JULIA E. GREEN, exrx.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Gibson decd. having been granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of July 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

Aug 15 WM. G. L. GIBSON, Admr.

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that Elijah Powell, as admr. of the estate of Green B Wadkins, has this day filed his accounts and vouchers to this office for a final settlement, and also a list of heirs of said estate: Polly Tinge wife of James Tinge late W. Wadkins, all over 21 years of age, and Sarah C. Wadkins and Louisa Wadkins who are minors, all of whom reside in DeKalb county, State of Alabama; and that the first Monday September next is the day set by the court for said settlement. Given under my hand at office this 4th day of August, 1863.

L. J. STANDIFER, Judge of
Probate of Cherokee county, Ala.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that Elijah Powell, as admr of the estate of John Powell, filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate, with list of heirs. Sterling Powell who resides in Logan county, Kentucky, Silas Powell, who resides in Smith county Tenn., Francis Ann Powell, who resides in county and State last aforesaid, P. Lancaster, wife of Enoch Lancaster, Elijah Powell, this admr, and Nancy Jane Powell, who each reside in this county, and all the foregoing heirs over 21 years of age, and John T Powell under 21 years of age, resides in Dade County, and that the 1st Monday in Sept., next, is the day set for hearing and making said settlement. This 25th day of July, 1863.

L. J. STANDIFER, Judge of
aug15 Probate of Cherokee county, Ala.

HOW TO AVOID CONSCRIPTION AND SECURE $50 BOUNTY!

The undersigned is authorized by Col. J. L. Hardee to raise an Infantry company to rendezvous in Middle Florida this Winter.

Men between 40 and 45 years of age received, of any age.

It is useless to state the advantages offered in joining a new company to those of young as regards to old companies; the fact has been sufficiently tried.

Persons wishing to join this company can do so by seeing me at Mount Polk, Ala. or leaving their names with Messrs. E. T. Read or J. F. Grant.

Furloughs given till business arranged.

WILLY P. MANGHAM.

Mt. Polk, Ala., Aug. 6th 1863. tf

EXECUTORS SALE OF LAND AND NEGROES.

The undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of Thomas White, late of Cherokee county Ala., decd., by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of said county, will offer for sale on the FIRST MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1863, on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, the following described land, belonging to said estate, to-wit: the south east quarter of section seventeen, township twelve, range ten, also the south west quarter section sixteen, township twelve, range ten, containing three hundred and twenty acres. Also seven slaves belonging to said estate. This 28th day of July, 1863. Note with two good and sufficient securities will be required.

WM. O. WHITE, }
G. W. WHITE, } Exrs

aug.15tds.

ATTENTION!

Capt. Bush's company of mounted men will meet at the Court house in Jacksonville, at 3 o'clock Saturday the 15th inst, for the purpose of electing a 2d Lieut. and transacting other important business. *A full attendance is earnestly requested.*

W. F. BUSH, Capt.

DAVID L. CAMPBELL,

(FORMERLY CAMPBELL & BENNETT.)

General Commission Merchant,

No. 53, North Water Street,

Aug. 15, 1863. MOBILE, Ala.

Liberal advances on produce in store.

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Centre,	August 10th, and 11th, 1863.
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Asheville,	" 17th, " 18th, "
Gadsden,	" 20th, " 21st, "
Guntersville,	" 24th, " 25th, "

O. M. Derrick, Surg. P. A. C. S.
Prest. Ex. Board, 3rd Dist., Ala.

July 29th, 1863.

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Lt. E. LEDYARD,
Enrolling Officer, 3d Congl. Dist.

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Attention.

I desire to recruit my company, now in Tennessee, with able bodied men. I am prepared to pay the bounty and give transportation to those who join me. *Now or never to arms.*

S. D. McLELLEN, Capt.

Jacksonville Male Academy.

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Aug. 5, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

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A. O. KIRKSEY, Adm.
J. W. TATUM, Adm.

Aug. 8.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE

THE undersigned Administrators of the Estate of Ellen Goodwin, deceased, under an order from the Probate court of Calhoun county, will on

Thursday the 8th day of September next.

At the late residence of said deceased, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the personal property of said estate, except the slaves, consisting of

Mules, Horses, Hogs and Cattle, Wheat, Corn and Bacon. Household and Kitchen Furniture Farming Utensils of all kinds,

Besides various other articles—the sale to commence at the usual hour.

A. O. KIRKSEY,
Aug. 8. JOHN W. TATUM, Ads.

Also at the same time and place we will sell, for cash, the land belonging to said estate, being the late residence of Ellen Goodwin, deceased, and known as the John Maddox place. The land is situated on the old Talladega road, 18 miles south of Jacksonville, is of excellent quality, a considerable portion in a fine state of cultivation, and the remainder well timbered. The place is also well watered.

A. O. KIRKSEY,
J. W. TATUM,
Admrs.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Jane Prater, deceased by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala. on the 6th day of July, 1863; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

July 11. NANCY B. DOWDLE, Adm.x

STONE'S HOTEL

[Corner of Water and Green Streets.]

SELMA, ALABAMA.

J. M. STONE, Proprietor

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Collecting Dist. No. 1, Jacksonville.—W. F. Bush

Collecting Dist. No. 2, White Plains.—M. P. Johnson.

Collecting Dist. 3, Blue Mountain.—Thos. A. Keith

Collecting Dist. No. 4, Oxford.—W. B. Turnipseed.

The above arrangement of Collecting Districts and the appointing of agents is hereby approved.

JAMES E. PEEBLES, Capt.,
& A. Q. M. Tax in Kind, 4th Con. Dist.

August 1st, 1863.

MR. GRANT:—From the above, the Tax payers in Kind will see that the Government Agent has made arrangement for the collection of the same. The War Tax Assessor is now in the discharge of his duties, and as soon as he can make a partial return, Depot Houses will be established in the different Districts, and sacks will be ready to be delivered

Tax payers must bear in mind that wheat to be received by the agents, must be well dried before delivery.

W. F. BUSH,
aug8 Supervising Agent.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Young H. Browning, deceased, late of Calhoun county, Ala., by virtue of an order made by the Probate Court of said county, will offer for cash upon the premises in said county, 5 miles east of Jacksonville, on the FOURTEENTH day of SEPTEMBER 1862 the following described lands belonging to said estate: all of the north-east quarter of section eleven, township fourteen, range seven, east in the Coosa land district, lying east of a parallel line running north and south through the said quarter section of land, and running on the west side of what was originally called Carroll's Gin House, except sixty square rods taking in Carroll's gin house and press, and also six and one half acres off the north side of section eleven, township fourteen, range seven, east in the Coosa land district, commencing at a pine stake running south twenty-seven rods to stake in the Green's Ferry road, thence east to a sycamore tree, on the Sulphur Springs Creek, thence up said creek to a beech tree, thence along the open line to the beginning, also the north-west quarter of section seven, township fourteen, range 8 east in the Coosa land district, as shown per the deed of R. G. Earle Register in Chancery for the 26th District, Northern Division of Alabama, of 30 March, 1857.

At the same time and place I will offer for sale the following described personal property to-wit: about twenty-five bushels of wheat, one wagon for hauling saw stocks, one stove, sundry mill irons, mill saw, mill stones, and all the machinery belonging to the old mills on said premises—known as the Treadwell Mill place.

Also on the FIFTEENTH day of SEPT. 1863, at the late residence of said deceased, three miles south of Jacksonville, in said county, I will offer for sale, as belonging to said estate,

Three Negro Slaves.

Two men and one woman, Dick, George, and Nancy.

G. B. BOUTHIT, Adm.

Aug. 8.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Thos. A. Carr, dec'd on the 6th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

July 25. ANN A. SPAULDING, Adm.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Aleneth B. Pepick dec. having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of St. Clair co'ty, Alabama on the 17th day of July 1863, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

July 25. ALENETH BYERS, Adm.

TAX SALE

FOR the want of personal property, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door in the town of Asheville, St Clair co Ala, on Monday the 21st of Sept 1863, between the legal hours of sale, the following described lands, sold for taxes due for the year 1862, assessed to Pool of Calhoun co Ala, viz: the W½ of the S E¼, and the E½ of the N W¼ and the S W¼ of the N E¼ and the N E¼ of the S W¼ all in sec 33 T 17 R 3 east, in the county of St Clair and State of Ala.—Tax $4 10—adv fee $1 00.

Also, at the same time and place, and upon the same terms, the following described lands assessed to J K Bailey, viz: the W½ of the N E¼ of S 18, T 15, R 5 east in said county of St Clair, for taxes due for the years 1861 1862—amount of tax due $1 53—adv $1 00.

BENJ. F. JONES, T. C. S. C.

July 18, 1863.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

TAKEN UP by John M. Watson, on the 17th of June, and posted before John Kerr, Esq a certain bay filly about 5 years old, 14 hands high, some saddle marks on the back, and a white spot on the end of the nose, with bad eyes. Also one chesnut sorrel mule, four years old, 13 hands high, with a dark spot on each shoulder, mane and tail trimmed.

A. TURNER,
July 15. Judge of Probate.

Administrators Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of St. Clair co. Administrator of the estate of Benj. H Tolbert, late of said county, deceased, on the 7th day of July, 1863: All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred, and those indebted will please make payment.

July 15. ENOCH ELLIS, Adm.

Military Notice.

TALLADEGA, Ala. July 27, 1863.

THE 49th Alabama Regiment is ordered to rendezvous at TALLADEGA, Ala., on the (18th) eighteenth day of August, 1863.

Recruits are wanted for the Regiment. I am authorised to receive them.

JNO. D. WEEDEN,
Lt. Col. comma nding 49th Ala. Reg't.

YOUNG AND OLD.

RALLY! RALLY!!

I am here with a detail of men from Maj. Gen. Joseph Wheeler's "Escort" "Powell Dragoons" commanded by Capt. W. S. Reese, for the purpose of getting recruits for this company. All who may wish to join will meet me at this place on the 18th of Aug. *None but reliable men need apply.* I will be in this county and Cherokee until that time. Information concerning my whereabouts during the time, can be had by application to Gen. W. O. Hutchinson, or Judge Woods at Jacksonville, J. F. Dailey at Cross Plains, John McGougin, near Pleasant Gap, Cherokee county, or Early Lokey, near Caloma, Cherokee county.

Lt. F. H. Goodwin of this company will be at Jacksonville until the 18th of August, and will muster into service those who may call on him.

J. M. ANDERSON, 1st Lieut.
Gen. Wheeler's Escort.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County.

Court of Probate for said County, Special Term, July the 17th, A. D. 1863.

THIS day came Robert McCain, Admr. of the estate of Susan E McCain, dec'd. and filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of his intestates administration; as the Administratrix of the estate of J. H. McCain deceased.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 18th day of August next, be set for making said settlement. It is further ordered by the court that notice the time and place of said settlement be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, for three weeks, as a notice to all persons interested in said estate to be and appear at my office in the town of Jacksonville on said 15th day of June next, to contest said settlement if they desire.

A. WOODS,
Jugly 25. Judge of Probate.

War Tax Notice

THE undersigned Assessor and Collector of the Confederate States War Tax, will attend at the times and places mentioned below, for the purpose of Assessing and Collecting the Tax under "an Act to lay taxes for the common defence, and carry on the Government of the Confederate States." Approved April 24th, 1863.

Tax payers are hereby notified that they must be punctual in attendance and giving in of lists, as the time allowed for the transaction of the business is very short, and the Assessor and Collector have no authority to make allowance for neglect or delay. Failures therefore to give in will be under all the penalties of the law.

Pre. No.	2, Alexandria,	August	3rd
" "	7, Polkville,	"	5th
" "	21, Sul Springs,	"	6th
" "	4, Maddox's,	"	8th
" "	13, Oxford,	"	10th
" "	11, White Plains,	"	12th
" "	12, Yoe's X Roads,	"	14th
" "	14, Sugar Hill,	"	15th
" "	15, Pine Grove,	"	17th
" "	22, Oak Grove,	"	18th
" "	16, Pounds,	"	19th
" "	17, Bacchus old pla	"	20th
" "	18, Pine Thicket,	"	21st
" "	19, Carmichaels,	"	22nd
" "	20, Barden's,	"	25th
" "	9, Ladiga,	"	26th
" "	8, Walden's,	"	28th
" "	1, Jacksonville,	"	29th
" "	10, Rabbit Town,	"	31st
" "	7, Oak Hill,	Sept.	1st
" "	22, Kansas,	"	2d
" "	6, Ohatchie,	"	3d
" "	3, Brady's,	"	5th.

R. H. WYNNE, Assessor,
H. A. EARNS, Collector.

Rags, Rags, Rags.

THE undersigned wish to purchase a quantity of clean linen and cotton Rags, for which a good price will be paid. FLEISHL & WELLHOUSE.

NOTICE.

A few more able-bodied recruits wanted. None but active, energetic men need apply. The 51st Regt. Ala. Partisan Rangers is now opened for recruits, and any persons wishing to join this arm of the service will now have the opportunity.

I will receive into my company (A) fifteen or twenty recruits, but they must be men who are both able and willing to do duty—no "duty-shirkers or hospital rats" wanted.

H. T. SNOW, Capt. Co. A.

June 29, 1863.—3t.

$30 REWARD

IS offered for private John Thompson and Adolphus Gore of Co A. 3rd Regt. Ala. Cavalry, who deserted this command on the 6th of July, near Okolona, Miss. Jno Thompson is 20 years old, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, stature 6 ft 7 inches—enlisted march the 5th, 1862. Adolphus Gore, is 20 years old, blue eyes light hair and fair complexion: statue 6 feet, was enlisted March the 8th, 1862. Both of the above named deserters reside in Calhoun county, Ala. I will pay the above reward for the delivery of each one of them at this command, or their confinement in any safe jail, and report facts to this head qrs.

J. W. WHISENANT
July 21. Com. Co (A) 2nd Ala. Cav.

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

August 15 1863.

The Election.

GOVERNOR.

Watts,	745
Shorter,	574
Dowdell,	45.

CONGRESS.

Curry,	761
Cruikshank,	605

SENATE.

Walker,	669
Ellis,	631

REPRESENTATIVES.

Hames,	803
Read,	730
Ryan,	686
Martin,	536
Bryant,	408.
Ferguson,	273.
Borden,	236.

TAX ASSESSOR.

Treadaway,	1,019.
Phillips,	227.

TAX COLLECTOR.

Graham	1,205.
Total No. of Votes,	1,459.

Maddox' beat not returned.

Gen. Morgan.—It would seem, that the Yankees have little cause to boast even if they have captured Morgan, at the end of his recent successful raid through Indiana and Ohio. A writer, who was with the expedition and kept a journal, has published it in the Enquirer. From this the following facts may be gathered. About 300 only of Morgan's officers and men were killed and wounded, while they killed and wounded of the enemy 550, and captured and paroled about 6,000 prisoners, who promised not to take up arms again during the war. They also destroyed of railroads, bridges, depots, stores and public property to the amount of at least $10,000,000. Had they, as the Yankees in Mississippi and Tennessee have done, destroyed private property also, they might have destroyed ten times more.

Yankee Lying.—It seems from an account kept of the different statements of Yankee papers to the various numbers of Morgan's men which they say were captured at various times and places, that they have been again exercising some of their forty-horse-power lying. Summing up these statements, it foots up that the Yankees have captured 38,000 of Morgan's men, out of a little more than 2,000 that started on the expedition: and out of two or three twelve pounders, the say they captured a number of sixty-four pound cannon. Surely the Hoosiers must have flocked to his standard in thousands, or else they have lied enormously.

☞The New York Tribune, publishes a letter from Richmond, stating that the late mission of Vice-President Stephens to Washington, was to prevail upon the Yankee Government to desist from arming negroes, or that they would retaliate by arming all the slaves of the South, and organizing them under their masters as officers.

Whether this letter writer tells the truth or not, the suggestion is a good one, and unless the Yankee policy is changed, from the very necessity of the case, will be speedily acted upon.

We hope that while the country is being ransacked for horses and mules for the military service, the officers entrusted with the duty of procuring them, will not forget that the towns and cities contain many of the very best harness horses, which are almost exclusively used in pleasure carriages. These horses would be peculiarly well adapted to the cavalry and artillery service, and be taken from uses far less essential than main the country.

☞See the addition of land sale to advertisement of Messrs. Kirksey and Tatum, Administrators.

A New Company.

We call attention to the notice of WILEY P. MANGHAM, who is authorized to raise a new company for Col. J. L. HARDEN'S regiment.

Persons prefering to enlist in a new company, and secure the $50 bounty would do well to join at once, as it is probably the last opportunity.

☞See card of David L. Campbell, Commission Merchant of Mobile.

MARRIED—On the 2d inst., by the Rev. R. G. RAGAN, MR. BLUFORD HENDERSON, of this county, to MISS. P. KING of Talladega county.

May the angel of love be their guide,
While down the stream they glide.

On the 5th inst., by the Rev. R. G. RAGAN, Mr. T. D. BYNUM to Miss SARAH NICHOLS, all of this county.

Tap is a soldier and will soon leave his Sallie,
To report as a prisoner from the Mississippi valley.

WEEKLY SYNOPSIS.
OF
THE LATEST NEWS.

There seems to be a great dearth of news, since the fall of Vicksburg, and the repulse of the Yankees at Charleston. There are either no movements making, or else conducted with so much secrecy that the news of them does not get out, either by the tell-*lie*-graph, or the re-*lie*-able gentleman. The late indications are that an early attack will be made on Mobile. Gen. Johnston has recently visited that city, and after careful inspection, of the fortifications, pronounced it the most defensible city on the Southern coast.

Demonstrations of great dissatisfaction with the draft, are still manifested in Indiana, Illinois, and other western and northern States.

There has been another cavalry fight at Brandy Station, in which the Yankees were driven back several miles, with much heavier loss than the Confederates, which was only 60 or 70 in killed and wounded.

A Military Court of Inquiry it is said is to meet at Montgomery on the 15th August to enquire into the cause of the surrender of Port Hudson and Vicksburg.

Andy Johnson has at last found his true level and proper occupation. At latest accounts he was reviewing and making speeches to negro troops, in which he assures them he has always believed they were the equals of the whites.

The city of New York will have to pay damadge to the amount of $1,500,000, for property destroyed in the late riots.

The Yankees are going to attempt the enforcement of their draft in Kentucky. Whenever they do they will come to grief, even worse than in New York.

Morgan and his officers, since their capture in Ohio, have been sent to the Ohio penitentiary.

A gentleman recently from Washington says Mead's army has received no reinforcements, except a few negro regiments, and that many soldiers are going home, their time having expired.

The Confederacy of the 8th says: "A movement is on foot—we will not say where or by whom—from which we expect to hear glorious news in a short time.

A letter from Knoxville, Aug. 3d, says: "The bush-whackers have, in a great measure, quit their mischief. The Conscript officers are enforcing the law. In many places the citizens are organizing for local defence. Gen. Buckner is daily winning the good will of the people. The splendid wheat crop has all been gathered, and the corn promises a large yield.

No more demonstration of consequence at Charleston, up to Saturday last, tho' the enemy seem preparing for a desperate assault.

Dates from Morton, Miss., as late as August 8th, show that the Confederate guerrillas are already at work on the Mississippi, destroying Yankee boats and commerce, one boat was sunk and others disabled, and some dozen turned back. It is said a few weeks will see the Mississippi more effectually blockaded than ever, by light artillery batteries.

A brother-in-law of Gen. Grant's named Dent, with several thousand stolen negroes, was captured near Lake Providence by Col. Johnson.

Dates from Mobile, as late as the 10th inst., state that persons lately from Vicksburg report that Gen. Grant had gone to supercede Meade in Virginia, and that Gen. McPherson takes command at Vicksburg. If this be true, it contradicts the story of Grant's leading in person the intended attack on Mobile. When Grant encounters Gen. Lee, he will find a very different antagonist from Pemberton, and we doubt not the fortunes of war will be most wonderfully changed.

Cannonading at Charleston on the evening of the 10th was very severe.

Contagion is said to be raging terribly in portions of the Yankee army in Mississippi and Louisiana.

The Yankees, it is stated have hung a Mrs. Saunderson in Natchez, because she would not tell where her husband was.

Gen. Logan, a few days previous to the 10th inst., attacked a Yankee force 700 strong, near Jackson, La., killing a large number, capturing 200 prisoners, all their artillery and commissary stores and wagons.

Casualties of Co. E, 30th Ala. Reg.

At Port Gibson, Miss., May 1st, '63. No. engaged, 2 commissioned officers, 18 men, the rest being on picket were not in the action. Killed—J M Tygrett—Missing—C D White and E G Reaves.

At Baker's Creek. No. engaged, 4 officers, 56 men. Killed—W R J Jackson, and, as we suppose, J W Wilkerson. Wounded and missing—Serg. J R Palmer, severe in right arm, G W Garrett severe right arm, since dead, M W Kelley, severe right arm, F M Roundtree, severe in arm, W J Stewart slight in right hand.—Wounded and escaped—Serg Wm Camp severe right fore arm, R J Griffith, slight, J B Taylor, severe shin, P D Hollingsworth, slight in side, W P Kerby, slight foot. Missing Corp G W Boozer. Privates W A Brown, R and D Cooley, M Evans, Wyly Garrett, W H Garret, W G Keller, Wm McDill, Sett Pendland, G W Raburn, W J Sewell, J N Wingo, and M A Wells. B M Pike and M P Henderson never caught up with the company are prisoners. Sick and sent to Edwards' Depot—Corp W D Adkins. Privates J A Wilkinson and J M Smith. Those complaining and stopped at the Depot until the fight was over and fell in on the return, were W P Garrett, who died in Vicksburg, J N and S G Dunkin.

Seige at Vicksburg, commencing May 18th and ending July 4th. Killed and died of wounds, Sergt Wm Camp, Henry Gullege, H A Steele, of wound and fever. Wounded—Sergt. J D Hollingsworth, severe in face, Privates E. Duckett, severe in thigh, Jos Green slight hand, G W Kilkpatrick, slight thigh, Wm Landers severe in loin, J M Patterson, slight in head.

There may be others I have not mentioned such as knock downs, from pieces of shells, clods and spent balls. Lieut Pearson, who was in command of Cos. I and K, is missing.

S. C. KELLEY, Capt.

OBITUARY.

S. M. HEATON

was born in the State of Georgia, thence he came with his parents when quite young, to this county. He professed religion and joined the Baptist Church when 9 years of age, of which church he was a faithful member until his death which occurred at Vicksburg on the 3d of March, 1863, the day he was 38 years old. He was honest and upright in all his dealings, and thus he endeared himself to those who knew him. But alas! he is taken from earth, and we hope that he is now rejoicing around his father's throne in glory. We tender our heart felt sympathies to his aged parents and his bereaved wife and children.

Sleep on dear friend,
Thy sufferings are at an end.
Sweet rest; we'll meet thee above
Where all is peace, joy and love.

TO THE SOLDIERS OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES.

After more than two years of a warfare scarcely equalled in the number, magnitude and fearful carnage of its battles; a warfare in which your courage and fortitude have illustrated your country and attracted not only gratitude at home but admiration abroad, your enemies continue a struggle in which our final triumph must be inevitable.

Unduly elated with their recent successes, they imagine that temporary reverses can quell your spirit, or shake your determination, and they are now gathering heavy masses for a general invasion, in the vain hope that by a desperate effort succes may at length be reached.

You know too well, my countrymen, what they mean by success. Their malignant rage aims at nothing less than the extermination of yourselves, your wives and children. They seek to destroy what they cannot plunder. They propose as the spoils of victory that your homes shall be partitioned among the wretches whose atrocious cruelties stamped infamy on their government. They design to incite servile insurrection, and light the fires of incendiarism wherever they can reach your homes, and debauch the inferior race hitherto docile and contented, by promising indulgences of the vilest passions as the price of treachery. Conscious of their inability to prevail by legitimate warfare, not daring to make peace lest they should be hurled from their seats of power, the men who now rule in Washington refuse even to confer on the subject of putting an end to the outrages which disgrace our age, or listen to a suggestion for conducting the war according to the usages of civilization.

Fellow citizens, no alternative is left you, but victory or subjugation, slavery and the utter ruin of yourselves, your families and your country. The victory is within your reach. You need but stretch forth your hands to grasp it. For this and all that is necessary is that those who are called to the field by every motive that can move the human heart, should promptly repair to the post of duty, should stand by their comrades now in front of the foe, and thus so strengthen the armies of the Confederacy as to ensure success. The men now absent from their posts, would if present in the field, suffice to create a numerical equality between our forces and that of the invaders—and when with any approach to equality have we failed to be victorious? I believe that but few of those now absent are actuated by unwillingness to serve their country; but that many have found it difficult to resist the temptation of a visit to their homes and the loved ones from whom they have been separated; that others left for temporary attention of their affairs with the intention of returning and then shrunk from the consequences of a violation of duty; that others again have left their posts from mere restlessness and a desire for change, each quieting the upbraidings of his conscience, by persuading himself that his individual service could have no influence on the general result.

These and other causes, (although far less disgraceful than the desire to avoid danger, or escape from the sacrifices of patriotism,) are nevertheless, greivous faults, and place the cause of our beloved country, and of everything we hold dear in imminent peril. I repeat that the men who now owe duty to their country, who have been called out and have not yet reported for duty, or who have absented themselves from their posts, are sufficient in number to secure us victory in the struggle now impending.

I call on you then my countrymen to hasten to your camps, in obedience to the dictates of honor and duty, and summon those who have absented themselves without leave; who have remained absent beyond the period allowed by their furloughs, to repair without delay to their respective commands, and I do hereby declare that I grant a general pardon and amnesty to all officers and men within the Confederacy, now absent without leave, who shall with the least possible delay, return to their proper posts of duty; but no excuse will be received for any dely beyond twenty days after the first publication of this proclamation in the State in which the absentee may be at the date of the publication. This amnesty and pardon shall extend to all who have been accused, or who have been convicted, and are undergoing sentence for absence without leave, or desertion, excepting only those who have been twice convicted of desertion.

Finally, I conjure my countrywomen—the wives, mothers, sisters, and daughters of the Confederacy—to use their all powerful influence in aid of this call, to add one crowning sacrifice to those which their patriotism has so freely and constantly afforded on their country's altar, and to take care that none who owe duty in the field shall be sheltered at home from the disgrace of having deserted their duty to their families to their country and to their God.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the Confederate States, at Richmond, this 1st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

(SEAL)

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

By the President:

J. P. BENJAMIN,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE COMDT. OF CONSCRIPTS, FOR ALA.
Talladega, Ala., Aug. 10, 1863.

In accordance with the above proclamation of His Excellency, the President of the Confederate States, I hereby invite all deserters and absentees without leave from the army, in the State of Alabama, to repair forthwith to one of the Camps of Instruction—Camp Buckner, near Talladega, or Camp Watts, near Notasulga—or else to give themselves up to the nearest enrolling officer, to be forwarded to their respective regiments or other corps.

All such deserters and absentees, (with the single exception mentioned by the the President,) will be furnished with transportation to posts of duty—not in arrest, but fully and freely discharged from all proceedings against them for past delinquency.

Enrolling officers, and all others acting under orders from this office, are hereby instructed to suspend all proceedings against deserters and absentees for twenty days from the date of this order, to use every effort for its speedy and general circulation, and to afford every facility to men availing themselves of this opportunity to return to duty. And all good citizens are earnestly invited to cooperate in the same efforts.

"Let bygones, be bygones," that past errors may be retrieved, and their memories lost in the honors of that brighter future, which, by the blessing of a just God, may speedily be ours and our county's, if every man will do his duty.

W. T. WALTHALL,
Major and Com'd't for Ala.

Office Command of Conscripts.
TALLADEGA, ALA., Aug. 6th, 1863.

Extract General Orders, No. 20.

I. Details of overseers heretofore granted under the provisions of Par. III, Gen. Order, No. 12 from this office, dated June 18th, 1863, being illegal, are hereby declared void. Persons holding such details can have them exchange for EXEMPTIONS for the same period, on application to the respective District Enrolling Officers.

By order of
MAJ. W. T. WALTHAL,
Commdt. for Alabama.

G. A. CARY, 1st Lieut. & Adjt.
aug15 3t

OFFICE COM'D'T. CONSCR. P. S.
TALLADEGA, ALA., July 28th, 1863.

GEN'L ORDERS
NO. 19.

I. The following notice from the Bureau of Conscription is published for the information of all concerned, particularly of enrolling officers:

NOTICE.

BUREAU OF CONSCRIPTION,
Richmond July, 21st, 1863.

To answer numerous inquiries, and to correct errors not uncommon, the following notice is published to all concerned.

1. Under the recent call of the President extending the Conscript age, all substitutions have ceased to be valid, if the substitute be less than 45 years of age, and is not otherwise exempt by law.

2. Membership, unless as an officer only excepted by the Act of Congress, or special service, ceases to exempt from Conscription; neither does service in the militia, unless in case of officers actually in commission who have been duly qualified.

3. Persons furnishing a substitute will be liable in their own persons, whenever the services of the substitute are lost to the government from any cause other than the casualties of war.

4. Applications for exemption on any ground whatever, must first be addressed to the local enrolling officer who, if he has not power to act, or is in doubt, will refer them to higher authority, with report of the facts. All such addressed direct to higher authority will necessarily and invariably be referred back for local examination and report; and the application will thus have uselessly lost time and prolonged suspense.

Appeals against adverse decisions by by local officers, will be forwarded by them for hearing, when any plausible ground of appeal is set forth.

(Signed)
G. W. LAY, Lt. Col. A. A. G.
Acting Chief of Bureau.

II. The exemption mentioned in the circular of the Bureau published above, with regard to militia officers, is not applicable to this State. All militia officers not otherwise exempt are liable to conscription.

III. Medical officers engaged in the Conscription service in this State are not authorized to extend leave of absence to officers or furloughs to soldiers.

IV. Par. III, General Order No. 12, from this office is hereby revoked.

V. Overseers entitled to exemption under the provisions of the Act of May 1st, 1863, upon presentation of the affidavit required by that Act, and the receipt of any bonded quarter Master, for the amount of five hundred ($500) dollars, will be exempted for twelve months, from the date of the receipt by the commissioned enrolling officers of their respective districts, who will forward the receipt to this office. Enrolling Officers will be careful to give certificates of *exemption*, not of *detail*.

By order of
MAJ. W. T. WALTHALL,
G. A. CARY,
aug15 6 1st Lt. and Adjt.

NOTICE TO CONSCRIPTS.

To all persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years.

In obedience to General Orders, No. 82, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office dated Nov. 3d, 1862, and the Proclamation of the President of the Confederate States, dated 15th July, 1863, all persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years, whether residents of any other portion of the State or other States, are hereby required to report themselves to the Examing Board for examinations and enrollment, on the days fixed in the annexed notice of the Examining Board.

This notice includes every person within the specified ages; those who have been heretofore examined and discharged, either by State or Confederate Surgeons, those who have at any time been discharged from the army, those who have furnished substitutes, and all persons who may claim exemption on any ground whatever. No person will be excused from attendance at the place appointed.

Attention is called to paragraph XIII, Section 2d, and 3d, General Orders, No. 82, as follows:

"2d. All the laws and regulations applicable to deserters shall be applied to such Conscripts as fail to repair to the places of rendezvous for enrollment, or who shall desert after enrollment.

"3d. All agencies employed for the apprehension and confinement of deserters and their transportation to the Commander, shall be applied to persons liable to duty as a Conscript who shall fail to repair to the place of rendezvous after the publication of the call."

Conscripts will come with at least two days rations.

P. L. GRIFFITS,
Lt. and Enrolling Officer,
4th Cong. Dist.

The undersigned, one of the Examining Medical board for the 4th Congressional District, under General Orders No. 82, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, hereby gives notice that the Examining Board will be at the following places on the days specified, for the purpose of examining all Conscripts between the ages of 18 and 45:

Jacksonville, Calhoun co., Aug 20 & 21, '63
Talladega, Talladega co., " 24 & 25, '63
Columbiana, Shelby, " 26 & 27, '63
Wedowee, Randolph, " 31 & Sept. 1.

G. PINKNEY WILSON,
Surg. P. A. C. S.

NOTICE is hereby given, that my wife, Amanda, left my home without my knowledge or consent, and I will pay no debts of her contracting. MARTIN BALL.

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IS offered for the following deserters or $30 each for their delivery or lodgement in jail, from company A. 50th Ala. Reg.

A. B. Wedgeworth, is 26 years old, six feet, one inch high, fair complexion, blue eyes dark hair, enlisted in Marshall county, Ala., but will go to his mother's near Ross Wood's St Clair county Ala., deserted on the night of the 4th Aug., 1863.

Thos Wedgeworth, aged 22 years, 5 feet 10 inches high, dark hair, dark complexion and dark eyes, he will no doubt be found with his brother, left on the 4th.

Clement Little left on the night of the 4th he is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, dark complexion, dark eyes and dark hair, resides near Middleton, Calhoun county, Ala., left on the night of the 4th.

Jonas Little aged 20 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, fair complexion, light hair and blue eyes, resides near Middleton Ala., left on the night of the 4th.

A H Platt, claims to be 42 years of age, 6 feet feet high, fair complexion, blue eyes and light hair, resides at Mtuneeota on the river in Calhoun county, Ala., left on the night of the 4th.

T J Harrison, aged 22 years, 5 feet 11 inches high, dark complexion, blue eyes, dark hair, resides in Mattox's beat, Calhoun county Ala., left on the night of July 23d.

W J. Love, 20 years of age, five feet 6 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, dark hair, resides near Spring, Calhoun co. Ala., left on the night of 23d July.

Corporal Wm D Morgan, 23 years of age 5 feet 6 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, resides in Kansas Beat Calhoun co. Ala., left on the night of 23d July.

Philip Ryan, aged 37 years, five feet seven inches high, fair complexion, dark eyes, [illegible] hair, resides in Morgan county, Ala., on the night of July the 19th, private David K. Parkston, aged 38 years 5 feet 6 inches high, dark complexion, blue eyes dark hair, resides in Marshal county Ala.

Private Wm. O Goforth, aged 32 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark complexion, dark eyes dark hair, resides in Marshal co. Ala.

J F Smith, aged 30 years, [illegible] inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, resides in Bedford county Tenn. The three last named deserters left in June last.

C B Hydricks, 36 years of age, claims to be 42, 5 feet 11 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, he was furloughed from hospital on the 9th day of June and has never returned to his company, he lives near Gilbert's Ferry, Calhoun co. Ala.

T. K. LANKFORD, Capt. comdg.
Co. A, 50th Ala. Regt.

By order of Col. Collart.
Aug. 15, 1863.

$240 REWARD.

THIRTY dollars each will be paid for the apprehension and delivery to the nearest recruiting station, or to this regiment of the following named deserters:

Daniel Terry, aged 40 years, dark eyes, dark complexion, dark hair, 5 feet 9 inches high, born in DeKalb county, Ga., by occupation a farmer.

James Sisemore, age 26 years, blind in the right eye, dark complexion, six feet high, born in Gwinette co. Ga.

W W Johnson, aged 26 years, gray eyes and light hair, fair complexion, 5 feet three inches high, occupation a farmer.

J P Pruitt, aged thirty-three years, dark eyes, black hair, dark complexion, six feet high, occupation a farmer.

M M Pruit, aged 24 years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, six feet high.

Richard Beatley, aged 25 years, blue eyes, dark hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 8 high, occupation a farmer.

All the above named persons were enlisted at Abernathy, Calhoun county, Ala., on the 26th April, 1862, to serve for three years by Capt J W Wigginton.

Thos A Wallace, aged 28 years, blue eyes, very light hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 10 inches high, by occupation a farmer, enlisted by A P Pounds, recruiting officer, on the 18th day of April, 1863, to serve for three years or the war.

M K Dobbs, aged thirty one years, blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, 6 feet high by occupation a farmer, transferred from co. A. 39th Ga. Regt, lives in Calhoun co. Ala.

The above reward will be paid for the delivery of the above named deserters or thirty dollars each for any number that may be apprehended and lodged in jail, or delivered to the army where I can get them.

J W. WIGGINTON, Capt. comdg.
Co. I, 50th Ala. Regt.

Approved W. M. HADDWICK,
Lt. Col. Comdg 48th Ala. Regt.

Committed,

To the jail of Ashville, St Clair co., Alabama, a negro man, who says his name is YORKSON, and belongs to Prichard Biggs of Talladega county lately removed from Madison county. Said boy is about 20 years weighing about 160 or 175 pounds, about six feet high.

The owner of said negro is notified to come forward, prove property pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. J. C. MONTGOMERY.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Alexander Thompson decd. [illegible] granted to the undersigned on [illegible] July, 1863, by the Probate Court [illegible] county, Ala., notice is hereby [illegible] persons having claims against [illegible] present them within the time [illegible] law or they will be barred, and [illegible] indebted to said estate are requested [illegible] forward and make payment.

E. GOODE, admr.
aug15, S. E. THOMPSON, admx.

NOTICE.

I Wish to hire one or two good plant negro men, for which I will pay a fair price.

Aug 15. J. A. BEADY.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Abraham C Culbreath decd on the 3d day of Aug., 1863, by the Probate court of St Clair county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

Aug. 15 ELI JONES, Adm.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of A W Montgomery, decd late of St Clair county, having been granted to the undersigned on the 3d day of Aug., 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

JOHN ALFORD, admr. aug15.
A. A. MONTGOMERY, admx.

Executors Notice.

LETTERS testamentary upon the estate of Peter A. Green, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of St Clair county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law; or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

A. B. GREEN, exr. aug15
JULIA F. GREEN, exrx.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Dyson, decd. having been granted to the undersigned on the 26th day of July 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

Aug 15 Wm. G. L. GIBSON, Admr.

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that Elijah Powell, as admr. of the estate of Green B Wadkins, has this day filed his accounts and vouchers in this office for a final settlement, and also a list of heirs of said estate: Polly Tinge wife of Josiah Tinge, G. E. Wadkins all over 21 years of age, and Sarah C. Wadkins and Louisa Wadkins who are minors, all of whom reside in DeKalb county, State of Alabama; and that the first Monday September next is the day set by the court to hear said settlement. Given under my hand at office this 4th day of August, 1863.

L. J. STANDIFER, Judge of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that Elijah Powell, as admr. of the estate of John Powell, filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate, with list of heirs, Sterling Powell who reside in Logan county, Kentucky, Sarah Powell, who resides in Smith county Tenn., Francis Ann Powell, who resides in county and State last aforesaid, P. L. Lancaster, wife of Enoch Lancaster, Elijah Powell, this admr. and Nancy Jane Powell, who each reside in this county, and all the foregoing heirs over 21 years of age, and John T Powell under 21 years of age, resides in Dade County, and that the 1st Monday in Sept., next, is the day set for hearing and making said settlement. This 25th day of July, 1863.

L. J. STANDIFER, Judge of
aug15 Prob. Ct. Cherokee county, Ala.

HOW TO AVOID CONSCRIPTION AND SECURE $50 BOUNTY!

The undersigned is authorized by Col. J. L. Hardee to raise an Infantry company to rendezvous in Middle Florida this Winter.

Men between 40 and 45 years of age received, or any age.

It is useless to state the advantages gained in joining a new company to those of going to veteran companies: for that has been sufficiently tried.

Persons wishing to join this company can do so by seeing me at Mount Polk, Ala. or leaving their names with Messrs E. T. Read or J. F. Grant.

Furloughs given till business arranged.

WILEY P. MANGHAM.
Mt. Polk, Ala., Aug. 6th 1863. 1f

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAND AND NEGROES.

The undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of Thomas White, late of Cherokee county Ala., decd., by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of said county, will offer for sale on the FIRST MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1863, on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, the following described land, belonging to said estate, to-wit: the south east quarter of section seventeen, township twelve, range ten, also the south west quarter section sixteen, township twelve, range ten, containing three hundred and twenty acres. Also seven slaves belonging to said estate. This 28th day of July, 1863. Note with two good and sufficient securities will be required.

WM O WHITE, }
G W. WHITE, } Exrs
aug.15ds.

BRAYER L. CAMPBELL,

(FORMERLY CAMPBELL & BENNETT.)

[illegible] Merchant,

[illegible]

of July, 1863. All persons indebted [illegible] against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred, and those indebted will please make payment.

July 18. ENOS ELLIS, Adm.

NOTICE TO CONSCRIPTS.

Pursuant to General Order No 82, Lt. E. Ledyard, Enrolling Officer for the 3d Congressional District, of Alabama, and all others whom it may concern, are hereby notified that the Examining Board will attend at the times and places below named, for the purpose of examining Conscripts. Any person subject to examination, and unable to attend at his place of rendezvous on account of illness, will send up a certificate, specifying the cause of absence, and its probable duration, from some respectable physician resident in his county:

Centre,	August 10th,	and 11th, 1863.
Lebanon,	" 7th,	" 14th, "
Ashville,	" 17th,	" 18th, "
Gadsden,	" 20th,	" 21st, "
Guntersville,	" 24th,	" 25th, "

O. M. DOYLE, Surg. P. A. C. S.
Prest. Ex. Board. 3rd Dist., Ala.
July 29th, 1863.

Agreeably to the above notice, all persons between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, whether resident of any other portion of the State, or of other States, are hereby required to report themselves to the Examining Board and Enrolling officer, for examination and enlistment, on the days fixed in the foregoing notice.

This notice includes every person between the ages specified; those who have been heretofore examined and discharged, either by the State or Confederate surgeons; those who have at any time been discharged from the army, those who have furnished substitutes, and any and all persons who may claim exemption on any ground whatever. No person between the ages specified will be excused from attendance at the places appointed. Conscripts must come prepared with at least three days' rations.

LT. E. LEDYARD,
Enrolling Officer, 3d Congl. Dist.
aug8-3t

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that my wife Caroline Lee, on the 21st inst. left my bed and board without my knowledge and consent. I therefore notify all persons not to credit her, as I don't intend to pay any debt that she may contract; and also not to pay her any money or any notes that is payable to me, and not to trade the same from her, for she took them without my knowledge or consent—this July 21 1863.

WILLIAM LEE.

Jacksonville Male Academy.

The next session of this institution will commence on Monday the 10th day of August, 1863 under the continued superintendence of Rev. R. J. C. HALL. Terms fifty per cent. advance on former rates. Aug. 8, 1863.

$25 REWARD.

STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber, in Jacksonville, about 3 weeks since, a small mare mule, whitish gray color. Any information of said animal will be thankfully received or the above reward paid for her delivery.

G. M. STEELE.
Aug. 5, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of July, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala. on the estate of Eliza Goodwin, decd. all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to us, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to us immediately.

A. O. KIRKSEY Adm.
J. W. TATUM, Adm.

Aug. 8.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

THE undersigned Administrators of the Estate of Eliza Goodwin, deceased, under an order from the Probate court of Calhoun county, will sell

Thursday the 8th day of September next.

At the late residence of said deceased, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the personal property of said estate, except the slaves, consisting of

Mules, Horses, Hogs and Cattle, Wheat, Corn and Bacon. Household and Kitchen Furniture Farming Utensils of all kinds,

Besides various other articles—the sale to commence at the usual hour.

A. O. KIRKSEY.
Aug. 8. JOHN W. TATUM, Ads.

Also at the same time and place we will sell, for cash, the land belonging to said estate, being the late residence of Eliza Gooden, deceased, and known as the John Maddox place. The land is situated on the old Talladega road, 18 miles south of Jacksonville, is of excellent quality, a considerable portion in a fine state of cultivation, and the remainder well timbered. The place is also well watered.

A. O. KIRKSEY,
J. W. TATUM,
Admrs.

Talladega Reporter copy this, and forward account to administrators.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA. }
Calhoun County. }
Court of Probate for said County, Special Term July 28th A D 1863

THIS day came Jacob F. Daily, Guardian of Caleb F. Morgan deed and suggests the death of his Ward, and files his account and vouchers for a final settlement of his said Guardianship. It is ordered by the Court that the 24th day of August 1863 be set for said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to all persons concerned [illegible] special Term of said court to be held at the Court House of said County on said 24th day of August 1863 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS.
August 1st. Judge of Probate

Agents in Calhoun county, Ala., for the Collection of the Tax in Kind,

Supervising Agent: W. F. Bush.

Collecting Dist. No. 1, Jacksonville.—W. F. Bush

Collecting Dist. No. 2, White Plains.—M P. Johnson.

Collecting Dist. 3, Blue Mountain.—Thos. A. Keith

Collecting Dist. No 4, Oxford.—W. B Turnipseed.

The above arrangement of Collecting Districts and the appointing of agents is hereby approved.

JAMES E PEEBLES, Capt.,
& A. Q. M. Tax in Kind, 4th Con. Dist.
August 1st, 1863.

MR. GRANT:—From the above, the Tax payers in Kind will see that the Government Agent has made arrangement for the collection of the same. The War Tax Assessor is now in the discharge of his duties, and as soon as he can make a partial return, Depot Houses will be established in the different Districts, and sacks will be ready to be delivered

Tax payers must bear in mind that wheat to be received by the agents, must be well dried before delivery.

W. F. BUSH,
aug8 Supervising Agent.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Young H. Browning, deceased, late of Calhoun county, Ala., by virtue of an order made by the Probate Court of said county, will offer for cash upon the premises in said county, 5 miles east of Jacksonville, on the FOURTEENTH day of SEPTEMBER 1863 the following described lands belonging to said estate: all of the north-east quarter of section eleven, township fourteen, range seven, east in the Coosa land district, lying east of a parallel line running north and south through the said quarter section of land, and running on the west side of what was originally called Carroll's Gin House, except sixty square rods taking in Carroll's gin house and press, and also six and one half acres off the north side of section eleven, township fourteen, range seven, east in the Coosa land district, commencing at a pine stake running south twenty-seven rods to stake in the Green's Ferry road, thence east to a sycamore tree, on the Sulphur Springs Creek, thence up said creek to a beech tree, thence along the open line to the beginning, also the north-west quarter of section seven, township fourteen, range 8 east in the Coosa land district, as shown per the deed of R. G. Earle, Register in Chancery for the 30th District, Northern Division of Alabama, of 3d March, 1857.

At the same time and place I will offer for sale the following described personal property to-wit: at out twenty-five bushels of wheat, one wagon for mulling saw stocks, one stove, sundry mill irons, mill saw, mill stones, and all the machinery belonging to the old mills on said premises—known as the Treadwell Mill place.

Also on the FIFTEENTH day of SEPT. 1863, at the late residence of said deceased, three miles south of Jacksonville, in said county, I will offer for sale, as belonging to said estate,

Three Negro Slaves.

Two men and one woman, Dick, George, and Matilda. G. B. DOUTHIT, Adm.
Aug 8.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Alemeth B. Penick dec. having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of St. Clair co'ty, Alabama on the 17th day of July 1863; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

July 25. ALEMETH BYERS, Adm.

TAX SALE

FOR the want of personal property, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door in the town of Ashville, St Clair co Ala. on Monday the 21st of Sept 1863, between the legal hours of sale, the following described lands, sold for taxes due for the year 1862, assessed to Peel of Calhoun co Ala., viz: the W½ of the S E¼, and the E½ of the N W¼ and the S W¼ of the N E¼ and the N E¼ of the S W¼ all in sec 33, T 17 R 2 east, in the county of St Clair and State of Ala.—Tax $4 10—adv fee $1 00.

Also, at the same time and place, and upon the same terms, the following described lands assessed to J K Bailey, viz: the W½ of the N E¼ of S 18, T 15, R 5 east in said county of St Clair, for taxes due for the years 1861 1862—amount of tax due $1 33—adv $1 00.

BENJ. F. JONES, T. C. S. C.
July 18, 1863.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

TAKEN UP by John M. Watson, on the 17th of June, and posted before John Kerr, Esq a certain bay filly about 5 years old, 14 hands high, some saddle marks on the back, and a white spot on the end of the nose, with bad eyes. Also one chesnut sorrel mule, four years old, 13 hands high, with a dark spot on each shoulder, mane and tail trimmed. A. TURNER,
July 15. Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }
Court of Probate for said County, Special Term, July the 17th, A. D. 1863.

THIS day came Robert McCain, Admr. of the estate of Susan E McCain, dec'd. and filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of his intestates administration, as the Administratrix of the estate of J. H. McCain deceased.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 18th day of August next, be set for making said settlement. It is further ordered by the court that notice the time and place of said settlement be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, for three weeks, as a notice to all persons interested in said estate to be and appear at my office in the town of Jacksonville on said 15th day of June next, to contest said settlement if they desire.

A. WOODS,
July 25. Judge of Probate.

War Tax Notice

THE undersigned Assessor and Collector of the Confederate States War Tax, will attend at the times and places mentioned below, for the purpose of Assessing and Collecting the Tax under "an Act to lay taxes for the common defence, and carry on the Government of the Confederate States." Approved April 24th, 1863.

Tax payers are hereby notified that they must be punctual in attendance and giving in of lists, as the time allowed for the transaction of the business is very short, and the Assessor and Collector have no authority to make allowance for neglect or delay. Failures therefore to give in will be under all the penalties of the law.

Pre. No. 2,	Alexandria,	August	3rd
" " 5,	Polkville,	"	5th
" " 21,	Sul Springs,	"	6th
" " 4,	Meddox's,	"	8th
" " 13,	Oxford,	"	10th
" " 11,	White Plains,	"	12th
" " 12,	Yoe's X Roads,	"	14th
" " 14,	Sugar Hill,	"	15th
" " 15,	Pine Grove,	"	17th
" " 23,	Oak Grove,	"	18th
" " 16,	Pounds,	"	19th
" " 17,	Bacchus old pl'c	"	20th
" " 18,	Pine Thicket,	"	21st
" " 19,	Carmichaels,	"	22nd
" " 20,	Burden's,	"	25th
" " 9,	Ladiga,	"	26th
" " 8,	Walden's,	"	28th
" " 1,	Jacksonville,	"	29th
" " 10,	Rabbit Town,	"	31st
" " 7,	Oak Hill,	Sept.	1st
" " 22,	Kansas,	"	2d
" " 6,	Ohatchie,	"	3d
" " 3,	Brady's,	"	5th.

R. H. WYNNE, Assessor,
H. A. EARNS, Collector.

NOTICE TO CONSCRIPTS.

To all persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years.

In obedience to General Orders No. 82, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office dated Nov. 3d, 1862, and the Proclamation of the President of the Confederate States, dated 15th July, 1863, all persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years, whether residents of any other portion of the State or other States, are hereby required to report themselves to the Examing Board for examinations and enrollment, on the days fixed in the annexed notice of the Examining Board.

This notice includes every person within the specified ages; those who have been heretofore examinend and discharged, either by State or Confederate Surgeons, those who have at any time been discharged from the army, those who have furnished substitutes, and all persons who may claim exemption on any ground whatever. No person will be excused from attendance at the place appointed.

Attention is called to paragraph XIII, Section 2d, and 3d, General Orders, No. 82, as follows:

"2d. All the laws and regulations applicable to deserters shall be applied to such Conscripts as fail to repair to the place of rendezvous for enrollment, or who shall desert after enrollment.

"3d. All agencies employed for the apprehension and confinement of deserters and their transportation to the Commander, shall be applied to persons liable to duty as a Conscript who shall fail to repair to the place of rendezvous after the publication of the call."

Conscripts will come with at least two days rations.

P. L. GRIFFITS,
Lt. and Enrolling Officer,
4th Cong. Dist.

The undersigned, one of the Examining Medical board for the 4th Congressional District, under General Orders No 82, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, hereby gives notice that the Examining Board will be at the following places on the days specified, for the purpose of examining all Conscripts between the ages of 18 and 45:

Jacksonville, Calhoun co.,	Aug 20 & 21,	'63
Talladega, Talladega co.,	" 24 & 25,	'63
Columbiana, Shelby "	" 26 & 27,	'63.
Wedowe, Randolph, "	" 31 & Sept. 1.	

O. PINKNEY WILSON,
Surg P. A. C. S.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }
Probate Court, Special Term, July 31st, 1863.

THIS day came A. N. Stewart, Administrator of R C Evans, deceased, and filed his accounts and vouchers for a partial settlement of said Estate. Ordered that the 29th day of August, 1863, be set for making said settlement, and that notice thereof be gived by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 29th day of August, 1863, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }

TAKEN up by D. T. Ledbetter, and posted before I. W Cannon, Esq. on the 25th day of July, 1863, a certain dark brown mare Mule, about six years old, 14 hands high has some marks of the gear—appraised to the value of two hundred dollars, this 25th July, 1863. A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

August 15 1863.

The News.—The calm in the current of news still continues unbroken. No army movements of importance in any quarter to note, except the indications that the Yankees are gathering all their resources and strength for another desperate assault upon Charleston. The bombardment was increased on Thursday and Friday nights last; but confidence in the ability to hold Charleston now, seems stronger than almost any time since the seige commenced, the defenses being constantly strengthened by the unparallelled skill and energy of Gen. Beauregard

Our readers may expect stirring news from that point in a very few days.

There are said to be a majority of six of the Northern Congress, elected, opposed the administration, but that the majority are in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war.

A direct conflict of authority on the question of the draft, has occurred between Lincoln and the Gov. of New York which threatens more serious consequences than any that has preceded it. It is thought if the draft is commenced again, (upon which which Lincoln seems thoroughly determined.) in defiance of the protest of the Governor, a revolution is inevitable.

Persons recently from Vicksburg, assert that the disease which is sweeping off the Yankees is yellow fever.

Our readers may rest assured that every item of news of interest, up to within a day or two of the date of our paper will be given in our news summary

☞Two hundred and eight Yankee prisoners arrived at Rome a few days ago, on the steamer Alferata, from Gadsden, captured by Col. Biffles at Union City, Tenn.

☞The Pope of Rome has written a very urgent letter to Arch Bishop Hughes, of New York, in favor of peace, which some of the papers say will have as much influence to bring about that result, as would a recognition of the Southern Confederacy by any European power.

☞We are much gratified to see the statement that Gen. Price has not resigned, but is still in command of his division beyond the Mississippi.

☞We are glad to see the opinion expeessed by the Montgomery Advertiser, that the fears regarding a union element in the Legislature, are to a considerable extent groundless. We will publish a list of members next week.

☞The exercises of the JACKSONVILLE FEMALE ACADEMY, under the continued superintendence of Mrs. CALDWELL and MISS WOODWARD, will be resumed on Monday the 31st inst. Advertisement containing terms, &c. will be published next week.

MARRIED—On the 12th inst., by L. W. Cannon, Esqr., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. E. C. LESTER to MISS SARAH ANDERSON, all of Calhoun county.

RICHMOND, VA., Aug. 8, 1863.

MR. J. F. GRANT—A letter has been received here by flag of truce, from Y. A. Brock, of Co. D, 10th Ala. Reg dated Gettysburg, Penn., July —, 1863, from which I send you the following extracts, knowing the information will be interesting to the friends of the parties named:

"My wound is doing as well as could be desired.

"B. G. McClellan, L. R. Reynolds, and Wm. Weaver are with me; all wounded. Jack Clark staid with us to wait on his brother Sam. Sam lived only until the 8th inst. The balance of the boys are doing well. We get good attention and treatment. We are yet where our brigade left us, (in an old barn.)"

No mention is made of any one else. I have not heard a word from Col. Forney, or any one else, save the above The Alabama hospitals are emptied, and cleaning and purifying to be ready for the next battle. C J. CLARK.

DIED—On the 11th inst., of diptheria, near Cross Plains, Joseph H. McMichael, son of Mrs. B. McMichael, in the 9th year of his age. A few weeks before his death he became impressed with the necessity, of prayer, and was frequently seen by his mother in that attitude. On his death bed, he gave evident assurances of his acceptance with his Savior, and that God had pardoned his sins on earth. His funeral was largely attended by friends and schoolmates. The writer was intimately acquainted with little Joseph, and knows that during his attendance in the school-room, that his conduct was exemplary in the highest degree: kind, obliging, and pleasant in his intercourse with his schoolmates, he was truly a model boy. Grieve not mother and sisters for your beloved one; for God in his Providence has taken him to his bosom on High, where tranquility and happiness forever reigns. Peace to his remains. G. L. A.

To Miss ———

Thy soul is pure, thy heart free from guile;
In those pure eyes love, on those lips a smile,
Which I love with inexorable love,
And no earthly sway can ever that love remove.
Though I may never win your devoedness,
If not I'll be plunged in a sea of loneliness;—
For always when thou art absent, my heart is sad.
Always when I meet you, my heart is glad;
Always when you speak kind, I'm in bliss,
And when unkind my heart is filled with wretchedness.
The cause for which, I cannot tell you,
Unless 'tis love that's termed true.

J. A. JONES.

Oxford, Ala., August 4th, '63.

OBITUARY.

"The fairest flower must fade."

DIED—In this place, on Wednesday, the 12th inst., LUCY ANN, only daughter of Jno H. and Mary D. Caldwell, aged 4 years, and 6 months.—

"A light is from our household gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant at our hearth
Which never can be filled:
A gentle heart, that throbbed but now
With tenderness and love,
Has hushed its worry throbbings here
To throb in bliss above.
Yes to the home where angels are
Her trusting soul has fled:
And yet we bend above the tomb,
With tears, and call her dead,
We call her dead—but ah! we know,
She dwells where living waters flow."

Jacksonville, Aug. 17.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

Whereas, The painful news has been received by the members of Hiram Lodge, No. 42, that their late worthy brother, JOEL H. FARMER, was instantly killed, by a shot thro' the head, at the battle of Gettysburg; therefore—

Resolved 1st, That we regard his death as a loss to the army, his country, and the fraternity of whom he was a member, and a heartrending and irreprable bereavement to to his family and kindred.

Resolved 2d, That we tender assurances of our sincere and heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved family and companions in arms, and fully coincide with the sentiment expressed by one of them in his deep anguish for his loss that, "he was so kind hearted, so true and so brave."

Resolved, 3d, That a page in the history of this Lodge be consecrated to his memory, and that the members wear the badge of mourning for 30 days.

Resolved, 4th, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the widow of the deceased; and that they also be published in the Jacksonville Republican.

L. W. CANNON, Secy.

CONFEDERATE TAX NOTICE.

ALL persons in Calhoun county, (being the 14th Collection Dist.) embraced in the following list, and required by the 5th section of the act of Congress, approved May the 1st, 1863, to register their names, firms, occupation and residence, are hereby notified to come forward and do so in Jacksonville on or before the first day of September, 1863, or in default thereof they will be liable to double tax:—

Apothecaries, auctioneers, bakers, brokers, billiard-room keepers, bowling-alley keepers, brewers bankers, butchers, cattle-brokers, circus exhibiters, commercial brokers, commission merchants, confectioners, dentists, distillers, eating-house keepers, exhibitors of shows, hotel-keepers, inn-keepers, jugglers, lawyers, photographers, physicians, retail dealers, showmen, surgeons, tavern-keepers, theatre owners, tobacconists, wholesale dealers, and all other persons (if any there be) who are required by the Tax act of the Confederate States to Register.

H. A. EARNS, Collector.

Aug. 22, 1863.

NOTICE.

A large number of strong horses being required for artillery purposes, citizens are invited to offer all such to the Government upon the following terms: Depot and other Quarter-masters charged with the purchase of horses, are instructed to transfer horses unfit for active service to citizens in part payment for good artillery horses, the difference in value as ascertained by two disinterested persons, (selected one by the officer and one by the citizen,) to be paid to the citizens.

By authority of the Secretary of War.

A. H. COLE,

Maj. & Insp. Gen. Feld Transportation.

☞Papers in the State will publish once and send receipted bills to this office.—*Montgomery Advertiser.*

NOTICE.

In Chancery 25th Dist.

IN pursuance of a decree of said court, I will on the first Monday in October next, I will proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door of said district, the following described tract of land: the north west fractional quarter, and fraction D, of fractional section 3, in Township 12 range 6, east containing one hundred and fifty-nine 13-100 acres, also fraction B, in section 3, township 12, range 6, east, containing sixty-eight acres, more or less, all lying in said district.

aug22 JOHN PRATT, Register.

STOLEN

FROM the undersigned, near Middleton P. O., (Goode & Norris' Iron Works,) on the night of August 3d, 1863, a large sorrel stallion horse, about five years old, light mane and tail, one white foot, and a small scar between the hoof and pastern joint, blaze face, a white saddle mark on the back.

A liberal reward will be paid to any person who will return the horse to me, and any information thankfully received.

aug22-3t MARTIN WALKER.

Notice of Partial Settlement,

It is ordered by the Hon. Judge of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala., that the Executor of the estate of A Stewart has filed his application and vouchers for a partial settlement and it is ordered that Monday the 31st day of Aug., be set apart for hearing said partial settlement, and all persons concerned are notified to appear and contest if they think proper.

aug 22 A. N. STUART, Exr.

REAL ESTATE TO RENT.

FROM an order from the Hon. Judge of Probate of Cherokee County, Ala., I will rent, either publicly or privately, at the late residence of A Stewart, decd., all the real estate belonging to said estate Sale off Tuesday, the 1st day of September, 1863.

aug22 A. N. STUART, Exr.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA.
CHEROKEE COUNTY.

Court of Probate, in Session, 11th August, 1863.

BE it remembered that on this 11th August, 1863, came into open court, Mary Leck, administratrix of the estate John B. Leck, late of said county decd. and filed her accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of her administration thereupon, it is ordered by the court that notice of the day of said final settlement be given by publication thereof in the Jacksonville Republican for three consecutive weeks, and that Monday, the seventh day of September, be set apart for hearing and determining said cause, at which time all person interested can appear and contest said settlement if they think proper.

This 11th August, 1863.

L. J. STANDEFER, Judge
aug22 of Probate.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that my wife Mary Jones, on the 11th inst., left my bed and board without my knowledge and consent. I therefore notify all persons not to credit her, as I don't intend to pay any debt that she may contract.

HUGH JONES.

July 11th 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of John T. Carson, decd. having been granted to the the undersigned on the 6th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of DeKalb county, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred.

aug 22. MATILDA C. CARSON, admx.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of *William McDaniel*, late of DeKalb co. deceased, having been granted on the 27th day of July, 1863, by Judge of the Probate court of DeKalb county, Ala.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said Estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred; and all persons indebted will please make immediate payment. HENRY GRIFFIN, Special Adm.

COMMITTED.

TO the jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Ala., a runaway negro who calls his name HALL, and says he belongs to a man by the name of Lawler, of Harralson county Ga., and that he has been out since the first of this year

Said negro man is about 65 or 70 years of age, is five feet six inches high, and weighs about 150 pounds, of dark color.

The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. J. G. WILLINGHAM, Jailor.

Aug 22, 1863

Notice.

THERE will be a special Term of the court of County Commissioners of Calhoun county, Alabama, held on the 7th day of September, 1863, for the purpose of distributing the 4th Instalment of the soldier's aid fund, for the year 1863.

If there are any new cases of absent soldiers, whose families are properly entitled to share in the distribution of said fund, the Beat Agents will please report them to said term of the court. The Beat Agents will also attend the court and receive the money preparatory to paying it out.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

TO THE SOLDIERS OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES.

After more than two years of a warfare scarcely equalled in the number, magnitude and fearful carnage of its battles; a warfare in which your courage and fortitude have illustrated your country and attracted not only gratitude at home but admiration abroad, your enemies continue a struggle in which our final triumph must be inevitable.

Unduly elated with their recent successes, they imagine that temporary reverses can quell your spirit, or shake your determination, and they are now gathering heavy masses for a general invasion, in the vain hope that by a desperate effort succes may at length be reached.

You know too well, my countrymen, what they mean by success Their malignant rage aims at nothing less than the extermination of yourselves, your wives and children. They seek to destroy what they cannot plunder. They propose as the spoils of victory that your homes shall be partitioned among the wretches whose atrocious cruelties stamped infamy on their government. They design to incite servile insurrection, and light the fires of incendiarism wherever they can reach your homes, and debauch the inferior race hitherto docile and contented, by promising indulgences of the vilest passions as the price of treachery. Conscious of their inability to prevail by legitimate warfare, not daring to make peace lest they should be hurled from their seats of power, the men who now rule in Washington refuse even to confer on the subject of putting an end to the outrages which disgrace our age, or listen to a suggestion for conducting the war according to the usages of civilization.

Fellow citizens, no alternative is left you, but victory or subjugation, slavery and the utter ruin of yourselves, your families and your country. The victory is within your reach. You need but stretch forth your hands to grasp it. For this and all that is necessary is that those who are called to the field by every motive that can move the human heart, should promptly repair to the post of duty, should stand by their comrades now in front of the foe, and thus so strengthen the armies of the Confederacy as to ensure success The men now absent from their posts, would if present in the field, suffice to create a numerical equality between our forces and that of the invaders—and when with any approach to equality have we failed to be victorious? I believe that but few of those now absent are actuated by unwillingness to serve their country; but that many have found it difficult to resist the temptation of a visit to their homes and the loved ones from whom they have been separated; that others left for temporary attention of their affairs with the intention of returning and then shrunk from the consequences of a violation of duty; that others again have left their posts from mere restlessness and a desire for change, each quieting the upbraidings of his conscience, by persuading himself that his individual service could have no influence on the general result.

These and other causes, (although far less disgraceful than the desire to avoid danger, or escape from the sacrifices of patriotism,) are nevertheless, greivous faults, and place the cause of our beloved country, and of everything we hold dear in imminent peril. I repeat that the men who now owe duty to their country, who have been called out and have not yet reported for duty, or who have absented themselves from their posts, are sufficient in number to secure us victory in the struggle now impending.

I call on you then my countrymen to hasten to your camps, in obedience to the dictates of honor and duty, and summon those who have absented themselves without leave; who have remained absent beyond the period allowed by their furloughs, to repair without delay to their respective commands, and I do hereby declare that I grant a general pardon and amnesty to all officers and men within the Confederacy, now absent without leave, who shall with the least possible delay, return to their proper posts of duty; but no excuse will be received for any dely beyond twenty days after the first publication of this proclamation in the State in which the absentee may be at the date of the publication. This amnesty and pardon shall extend to all who have been accused, or who have been convicted and are undergoing sentence for absence without leave, or desertion, excepting only those who have been twice convicted of desertion

Finally, I conjure my countrywomen—the wives, mothers, sisters, and daughters of the Confederacy—to use their all powerful influence in aid of this call, to add one crowning sacrifice to those which their patriotism has so freely and constantly afforded on their country's altar, and to take care that none who owe duty in the field shall be sheltered at home from the disgrace of having deserted their duty to their families to their country and to their God.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the Confederate States, at Richmond, this 1st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

(SEAL)

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

By the President:

J P. BENJAMIN,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE COMDT. OF CONSCRIPTS, FOR ALA.
Talladega, Ala., Aug. 10, 1863.

In accordance with the above proclamation of His Excellency, the President of the Confederate States, I hereby invite all deserters and absentees without leave from the army, in the State of Alabama, to repair forthwith to one of the Camps of Instruction—Camp Buckner, near Talladega, or Camp Watts near Notasulga—or else to give themselves up to the nearest enrolling officer, to be forwarded to their respective regiments or other corps.

All such deserters and absentees (with the single exception mentioned by the the President,) will be furnished with transportation to posts of duty—not in arrest, but fully and freely discharged from all proceedings against them for past delinquency.

Enrolling officers, and all others acting under orders from this office, are hereby instructed to suspend all proceedings against deserters and absentees for twenty days from the date of this order, to use every effort for its speedy and general circulation, and to afford every facility to men availing themselves of this opportunity to return to duty. And all good citizens are earnestly invited to cooperate in the same efforts.

"Let bygones be bygones," that past errors may be retrieved, and their memories lost in the honors of that brighter future, which, by the blessing of a just God, may speedily be ours and our county's, if every man will do his duty.

W. T. WALTHALL,
Major and Com'dt for Ala.

Office Command of Conscripts.

TALLADEGA, ALA., Aug. 6th, 1863.

Extract General Orders, No. 20.

I. Details of overseers heretofore granted under the provisions of Par. III Gen. Order, No. 12 from this office, dated June 18th, 1863, being illegal, are hereby declared void. Persons holding such details can have them exchange for EXEMPTIONS for the same period, on application to the respective District Enrolling Officers.

By order of
MAJ. W. T. WALTHAL,
Commdt. for Alabama.
G. A. CARY, 1st Lieut. & Adjt.

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OFFICE COM'D'T, CONSCRIPTS
TALLADEGA, ALA., July 23th, 1863.

GEN'L ORDERS
NO. 19.

I. The following notice from the Bureau of Conscription is published for the information of all concerned, particularly of enrolling officers:

NOTICE.

BUREAU OF CONSCRIPTION,
Richmond July, 21st, 1863.

To answer numerous inquiries, and to correct errors not uncommon, the following notice is published to all concerned.

1. Under the recent call of the President extending the Conscript age, all substitutions have ceased to be valid, if the substitute be less than 45 years of age, and is not otherwise exempt by law.

2. Membership, unless as an officer duly accepted by the War Department of local organizations for home defence, or special service, confers no claim to exemption from Confederate service: neither does service in the militia, unless in case of officers actually in commission who have been duly qualified.

3 Hereafter any one furnishing a substitute will become liable in his own persons, whenever the services of the substitute are lost to the government from any cause other than the casualties of war.

4. Applications for exemption on any ground whatever, must first be addressed to the local enrolling officer, who, if he has not power to act, or is in doubt, will refer them to higher authority, with report of the facts. All such addressed direct to higher authority will necessarily and invariably be referred back for local examination and report; and the application will thus have uselessly lost time and prolonged suspense.

Appeals against adverse decisions by by local officers, will be forwarded by them for hearing when any plausible ground of appeal be set forth

(Signed)

G. W. LAY, Lt. Col A. A. G.
Acting Chief of Bureau.

II. The exemption mentioned in the circular of the Bureau published above with regard to militia officers, is not applicable to this State. All militia officers not otherwise exempt are liable to conscription.

III. Medical officers engaged in the Conscription service in this State, are not authorized to extend leave of absence to officers or furloughs to soldiers.

IV. Par. III General Order No. 12, from this office is hereby revoked.

V. Overseers entitled to exemption under the provisions of the Act of May 1st, 1863, upon presentation of the affidavit required by that Act; and the receipt of any bonded quarter Master, for the amount of five hundred ($500) dollars, will be exempted for twelve months, from the date of the receipt, by the commissioned enrolling officers of their respective districts, who will forward the receipt to this office. Enrolling officers will be careful to give certificates of *exemption*, not of *detail*.

By order of
MAJ. W. T. WALTHALL,
G. A. CARY,
aug15 6 1st Lt. and Adjt.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of Thos. A. Barr, due on the 9th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and those indebted are requested to make payment.

July 25. JOHN A. SPALDING, Adm.

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PUBLIC SALES OF

RAILROAD LANDS.

THE Lands belonging to the Alabama and Tennessee Rivers Railroad Company amounting to upwards of 300,000 acres, situated in the vicinity of the company's railroad, embracing large tracts of superiar timbered lands, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, at the following times and places, to-wit:

The Lands situated in Dallas, Autauga and Perry counties at Plantersville, on Tuesday, October 6, 1863.

The Lands in Bibb county at Randolph on Friday, October 9

The Land in the lower part of Shelby county up to the north boundary of township 18, at Montevallo on Tuesday October 13.

The Lands in the upper part of Shelby county, from Shelby Springs to Coosa river, at Columbiana on Thursday, October 15.

The Lands in Talladego county, at Talladega on Tuesday, October, 20.

The Lands in Calhoun county at Jacksonville on Friday, October, 23

Maps exhibiting the Lands in Calhoun, Talladega and Shelby counties are placed in the offices of the Probate Judges of those counties; those of the Lands in Bibb at the Randolph depot; and those of the Lands in Perry, Autauga and Dallas counties at the store of Thomas S Driskell, Plantersville.

Soldiers or their families and widows in occupancy of Lands, on or before the 7th day of July, 1863, will be entitled to purchase forty acres at $1.25 per acre, on making proof of occupancy and payment on or before the 1st day of October next to A. M Goodwin, the Treasurer of the Company, at Selma. Applications may be made to the Treasurer in person or by letter, accompanied by proper affidavits of the applicant and two other respectable persons, setting forth the facts required to be proved.

By order of the Board of Directors.

THOS. A. WALKER, President.

Blue Stone.

THE undersigned has made arrangements to procure BLUE STONE of good quality to supply the wants of Farmers in this vicinity; but will only order for those who direct. Therefore send in your orders in full time for wheat sowing.

Aug. 22. T. N. ANGLIN.

CONFEDERATE TAX NOTICE.

ALL persons in Calhoun county, (being the 14th Collection Dist.) enumerated in the following list, and required by the 5th section of the act of Congress, approved Nov the 1st, 1863, to register their names, their occupation and residence, are hereby notified to come forward and do so in Jacksonville on or before the first day of September, 1863, or in default thereof they will be liable to double tax:—

Apothecaries, auctioneers, bakers, brokers, billiard-room keepers, bowling-alley keepers, brewers bankers, butchers, cattle-brokers, circus exhibiters, commercial brokers, commission merchants, confectioners, dentists, distillers, eating-house keepers, exhibitors of shows, hotel-keepers, inn-keepers, jugglers lawyers, photographers, physicians, retail dealers, showmen, surgeons, tavern-keepers, theatre owners, tobacconists, wholesale dealers, and all other persons (if any there be) who are required by the Tax act of the Confederate States to Register.

R. A. EARNS, Collector.

Aug. 22, 1863.

Notice.

THERE will be a special Term of the court of County Commissioners of Calhoun county, Alabama, held on the 7th day of September, 1863, for the purpose of distributing the 4th Instalment of the soldier's aid fund, for the year 1863.

If there are any new cases of absent soldiers, whose families are properly entitled to share in the distribution of said fund, the Beat Agents will please report them to said term of the court. The Beat Agents will also attend the court and receive the money preparatory to paying it out.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of John T. Carson, decd, having been granted to the the undersigned on the 6th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of DeKalb county, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred.

aug 22. MATILDA C. CARSON, admr.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of William McDaniel, late of DeKalb co. deceased, having been granted on the 27th day of July, 1863, by Judge of the Probate court of DeKalb county, Ala.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said Estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred; and all persons indebted will please make immediate payment. HENRY GRIFFIN, Special Adm.

MALE AND FEMALE ACADEMY.

The Rev. Wm F. Nigels, will open a Male and Female School in the town of Oxford, on the 1st day of September. There will be two sessions of five months each, with a short vacation in winter.

TERMS. (FOR ONE SESSION.)

Primary School	$15 00
Preparatory Class	20 00
Literary Department	25 00

EXTRA CHARGES.

French or Latin (taught if a class be formed	$15 00
Incidentals, (Firewood, etc)	1 00

Tuition must be paid one month from the entrance of the pupil, otherwise the pupil cannot be retained in the school.

A few pupils will be received free of charge, upon proper recommendation.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA. CHEROKEE COUNTY.

Court of Probate, in Vacation, 11th August, 1863.

BE it remembered that on this 11th August, 1863, came into open court, Mary Leck, administratrix of the estate John B. Leck, late of said county deed. and filed her accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of her administration thereupon, it is ordered by the court that notice of the day of said final settlement be given by publication thereof in the Jacksonville Republican for three consecutive weeks, and that Monday, the seventh day of September, be set apart for hearing and determining said cause, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest said settlement if they think proper.

This 11th August, 1863.

L. J. STANDEFER, Judge

aug22 of Probate.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that my wife Mary Jones, on the 11th inst., left my bed and board without my knowledge and consent. Therefore notify all persons not to deal her, as I don't intend to pay any debt that she may contract.

HUGH JONES.

July 11th 1863.

STOLEN

FROM the undersigned, near Mellton P. O., (Goode & Morris' Iron Works) on the night of August 3d, 1863, a bay sorrel stallion horse, about five years old, light main and tail, one white hind foot, small scar between the hoof and pastern joint, white face, a white saddle mark on the back.

A liberal reward will be paid to any person who will return the horse to me, and any information thankfully received.

aug22-3t MARTIN WALKER.

Notice of Partial Settlement

It is ordered by the Hon. Judge of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala., that the Executor of the estate of A Stewart has filed his application and vouchers for a partial settlement and it is ordered that Monday the 21st day of Aug., be set apart for hearing said partial settlement, when all persons concerned are notified to appear and contest if they think proper

aug 22 A. N. STUART, Exr

REAL ESTATE TO RENT.

FROM an order from the Court of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala., I will rent, [illegible] the late residence of A. Stewart, decd., all the real estate belonging to said estate. Sale on the day, the 1st day of September, 1863.

aug22 A. N. STUART, Exr

Committed,

To the jail of Ashville, St Clair co., Alabama, a negro man, who says his name is MORRISON, and belongs to Prichard Rieans of Talladega county lately removed from Madison county. Said boy is about 20 years, weighs about 165 or 175 pounds, about six feet high.

The owner of said negro is notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. J. G. MONTGOMERY.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Alexander Thompson decd, having been granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

E. GOODE, admr

aug15, S. E. THOMPSON, admr.

EXECUTORS SALE OF LAND AND NEGROES.

The undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of Thomas White, late of Cherokee county Ala., decd., by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of said county, will offer for sale on the FIRST MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1863, on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, the following described land, belonging to said estate, to-wit: the south east quarter of section seventeen, township twelve, range ten also the south west quarter section sixteen, township twelve, range ten, containing three hundred and twenty acres Also seven slaves belonging to said estate. This 28th day of July, 1863. Note with two good and sufficient securities will be required.

WM O. WHITE, } Exrs
G. W. WHITE. }

aug. 15tds.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE

THE undersigned Administrators of the Estate of Eliza Goodwin, deceased, under an order from the Probate court of Calhoun county, will, on

Thursday the 6th day of September next

At the late residence of said deceased, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the personal property of said estate, except the slaves, consisting of

Mules, Horses, Hogs and Cattle, Wheat, Corn and Bacon. Household and Kitchen Furniture Farming Utensils of all kinds,

Besides various other articles—the sale to commence at the usual hour.

A. O. KIRKSEY.
Aug. 8. JOHN W. TATUM, Adm.

Also at the same time and place we will sell, for cash, the land belonging to said estate, being the late residence of Eliza Goodwin, deceased, and known as the John Maddox place. The land is situated on the old Talladega road, 18 miles south of Jacksonville, is of excellent quality, a considerable portion in a fine state of cultivation, and the remainder well timbered. The place is also well watered.

A. O. KIRKSEY,
J. W. TATUM,
Admrs.

Talladega Reporter copy 3ds, and forward account to administrators.

Administrators Notice

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of July, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala., on the estate of Eliza Goodwin, decd, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the same authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to me immediately.

A. O. KIRKSEY Adm.
J. W. TATUM, Adm.

Aug. 8.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Young H. Browning, deceased, late of Calhoun county, Ala., by virtue of an order made by the Probate Court of said county, will offer for sale upon the premises in said county, 5 miles east of Jacksonville, on the FOURTH DAY of SEPTEMBER next, the following described lands belonging to said estate, all the north east quarter of section [illegible] township [illegible] range [illegible] east in the Cross Land district, lying north of a parallel line running north and south through the said quarter section of land, and running on the west side of what was originally called Carroll's Gin house, exactly twenty square rods including Carroll's gin house and press, and at a stand one half mile off the north side of section eleven, township fourteen, range seventeen east in the Cross Land district, commencing at a pine stake running south twenty-seven rods to stake in the Green's Ferry road, thence east to a sycamore tree, on the Sulphur Springs Creek, thence up said creek to a beech tree, thence along the open line to the beginning, also the south west quarter of section seven, township fourteen, range seventeen east in the Cross Land district, as shown per the deed of [illegible] Register in Chancery for the 26th District, Northern Division of Alabama, of 22 March 1847.

At the same time and place I will offer for sale the following described personal property to wit: about twenty-five baskets of wheat, one engine for hauling saw logs, one stone, supply, mill irons, mill saws, mill stones, and all the machinery belonging to the old mills on said premises—known as the Treadwell mill place.

Also on the FIFTEENTH day of SEPT. inst., at the late residence of said deceased, three miles south of Jacksonville, in said county, I will offer for sale, as belonging to said estate,

Three Negro Slaves.

A man and two women, Dick, George, and Melinda. G. E. DOUTHIT, Adm.

Aug. 8.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Armistead Penick dec. having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of St Clair co., Alabama on the 11th day of July 1863, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment.

July 25. ALEXETH BYERS, Adm.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

TAKEN up by John N. Wilson, on the 7th of June, one sorrel colt, about 2 years old, 13 hands high, some white marks on the horse, and a white spot on the end of the nose, with bad eyes. Also one chestnut sorrel mare, four years old, 13 hands high, with a dark spot on each shoulder, main and tail [illegible].

A. TURNER,
Aug 15. Judge of Probate.

WATTS & CLEVELAND,

(FORMERLY CAMPBELL & BENNETT.)

General Commission Merchant,

No 53, North Water Street,

Aug. 15, 1863. MOBILE, Ala.

Liberal advances on produce in store.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of John Hall, late of Randolph county, Ala., decd on the 3d day of August, 1863, by the Probate court of St Clair county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

Aug. 15 ELI JONES, Adm.

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that Elijah Powell, as admr. of the estate of Green B Watkins, has this day filed his accounts and vouchers in this office for a final settlement, and also a list of heirs of said estate: Polly Tinge wife of Jonah Tinge, G. E Watkins, all over 21 years of age, and Sarah C. Watkins and Louisa Watkins who are minors, all of whom reside in DeKalb county, State of Alabama; and that the first Monday September next is the day set by the court for said settlement. Given under my hand at office this 4th day of August, 1863

L. J. STANDEFER, Judge of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala.

CONFEDERATE TAX NOTICE.

PERSONS who have failed to attend my appointments for the purpose of taking in their taxes, are hereby notified that I can give in at Jacksonville, from the 6th to the 10th of September. Those who fail to do that will be subject to an additional tax of 25 per cent.

By direction of the State Commissioner of taxes, the Assessor is authorized to receive one kind of grain in place of another, where the amount of either is less than taxable as specified by law, bearing the relative value of each. Tax payers must also give in all the cotton in their possession, whether they be the present owners or not.

Aug. 29. R. H. WYNNE, Assessor.

In the matter of the Estate of Samuel Laswell, late of DeKalb county, Alabama, deceased; In the Probate Court of DeKalb county, the 14th day of August, 1863.

George C. White, Administrator of the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said Samuel Laswell, having this day presented his accounts and vouchers to the said court, for the final settlement of his said accounts as such administrator; and the Court having appointed Monday the 21st day of September next, to audit, examine and state said accounts—

Notice is hereby given, that it is the intention of the said George C. White, Administrator as aforesaid to have his said accounts presented to the said court for allowance at the said next term of the said court, to be held at the court house of said county, on Monday the 21st day in September next, when and where all persons interested in the settlement of said estate, are required to appear and make exception to the said report.

Witnes: JNO. N. FRANKLIN, Judge
Aug. 29. of said Court.

Jacksonville Female Academy.

THE exercises of this Institution will be resumed on next Monday the 31st inst. under the continued superintendence of Mrs. Mary D. Caldwell and Miss Carrie Woodward.

RATES OF TUITION.

Primary Class (pupils on 5 months)	$12 00
2nd " " "	16 00
3rd " " "	24 00
4th " " (including Languages and Higher Mathematics)	$30 00

Aug. 29, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of DeKalb co. Administrator of the estate of E. I. Cunningham late of said county, deceased, on the 8th day of Aug. 1863: All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred, and those indebted will please make payment.

Aug 29. JESSE CUNNINGHAM, Adm.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Wm. J. Blalock, decd., by the Probate court of Randolph county, Ala. on the 11th day of April, 1863; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

Aug. 29. RACHAEL A BLALOCK, Adx.

Executrix Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the Estate of John V McKee, deceased having been having been granted to the undersigned by Probate Court of Randolph county, Ala. on the 21st day of July, 1863; Notice is hereby given, to all persons having claims against said estate to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate will please make payment.

Aug. 29. MARTHA D. McKEE, Ex.

Administratrix Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of Randolph county, Ala. on the 22nd day of July, 1863; Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate will please make payment.

Aug 29 SALLIE J. SMITH, Adx

Executors Notice.

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of Randolph county, Ala. on the estate of Timothy Johnston, decd, on the 13th day of August, 1863. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate will please make payment.

Aug. 29. E. H. PISHARGON, Ex's.

Adjt. & Ins. Gen's. Office.

RICHMOND, August 18th, 1863.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 113.

I. Officers receiving volunteers from those liable to conscription will in no case grant furloughs for more than ten days to such volunteers, before entering in active service.

II. Every man liable to Conscription, volunteering before enrolment, will report himself and the company to which he volunteers; and likewise be reported by his Captain to the Commandant of Conscripts in the State, within ten days after the date of volunteering; otherwise he will be held subject to enrolment and assignment. By order,

(Signed) S. COOPER.
Aug 29-4t Adj. & Insp. Gen.

NOTICE.

I Wish to hire one or two good stout negro men, for which I will pay a fair price.

Aug. 15. J. Z. BRADY.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that Elijah Powell, as admr. of the estate of John Powell, filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate, with list of heirs. Sterling Powell who reside in Logan county, Kentucky, Saml Powell, who resides in Smith county Tenn., Francis Ann Powell, who resides in county and State last aforesaid, P. Lancaster, wife of Enoch Lancaster, Elijah Powell, this admr., and Nancy Jane Powell, who each reside in this county, and all the foregoing heirs over 21 years of age, and John T Powell under 21 years of age, resides in Dade County, and that the 1st Monday in Sept. next, is the day set for hearing and making said settlement. This 23th day of July, 1863.

L. J. STANDEFER, Judge of
aug15 Probate of Cherokee county, Ala.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Gibson decd. having been granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of July 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

Aug 15 WM. G. L. GIBSON, Admr.

War Tax Notice

THE undersigned Assessor of the Confederate States War Tax, will attend at the times and places mentioned below, for the purpose of Assessing and Collecting the tax under "an Act to lay taxes for the common defence, and carry on the Government of the Confederate States." Approved April 24th, 1863.

☞ Tax payers are hereby notified that they must be punctual in attendance and giving in of lists, as the time allowed for the transaction of the business is very short, and the Assessor and Collector have no authority to make allowance for neglect or delay. Failures therefore to give in will be under all the penalties of the law.

Pre. No. 2,	Alexandria,	August	3rd
" " 5,	Polkville,	"	5th
" " 21,	Sul Springs,	"	6th
" " 4,	Maddox's,	"	8th
" " 13,	Oxford,	"	10th
" " 11,	White Plains,	"	12th
" " 12,	Yoe's X Roads,	"	14th
" " 14,	Sugar Hill,	"	15th
" " 15,	Pine Grove,	"	17th
" " 23,	Oak Grove,	"	18th
" " 16,	Pounds,	"	19th
" " 17,	Bacchus old place	"	20th
" " 18,	Pine Thicket,	"	21st
" " 19,	Carmichaels,	"	22nd
" " 20,	Burden's,	"	25th
" " 9,	Ladiga,	"	26th
" " 8,	Walden's,	"	28th
" " 1,	Jacksonville,	"	29th
" " 10,	Rabbit Town,	"	31st
" " 7,	Oak Hill,	Sept.	1st
" " 22,	Kansas,	"	2d
" " 6,	Ohatchie,	"	3d
" " 3,	Brady's,	"	5th.

R. H. WYNNE, Assessor.

NOTICE TO CONSCRIPTS.

To all persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years.

In obedience to General Orders No. 82, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office dated Nov. 31, 1862, and the Proclamation of the President of the Confederate States, dated 15th July, 1863, all persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years, whether residents of any other portion of the State or other States, are hereby required to report themselves to the Examing Board for examinations and enrollment, on the days fixed in the annexed notice of the Examining Board.

This notice includes every person within the specified ages; those who have been heretofore examined and discharged, either by State or Confederate Surgeons, those who have at any time been discharged from the Army, those who have furnished substitutes, and all persons who may claim exemption on any ground whatever. No person will be excused from attendance at the place appointed.

Attention is called to paragraph VIII, section 2d and 3d, General Orders No. 82, as follows:

"2d. All the laws and regulations applicable to deserters shall be applied to such Conscripts as fail to repair to the place of rendezvous for enrollment, or who shall desert after enrollment.

"3d. All agencies employed for the apprehension and confinement of deserters and their transportation to the Commander, shall be applied to persons liable to duty as a Conscript who shall fail to repair to the place of rendezvous at the publication of the call."

Conscripts will come with at least two days rations.

P. L. GRIFFITS,
Lt. and Enrolling Officer,
4th Cong. Dist.

The undersigned, one of the Examining Medical board for the 4th Congressional District, under General Orders No. 82, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, hereby gives notice that the Examining Board will be at the following places on the days specified, for the purpose of examining all Conscripts between the ages of 18 and 45:

Jacksonville, Calhoun co.,	Aug 20 & 21,	'63
Talladega, Talladega co.,	" 24 & 25,	'63.
Columbiana, Shelby "	" 26 & 27,	'63.
Wedowe, Randolph, "	" 31 & Sept. 1.	

C. PINKNEY WILSON,
Surg. P A C S.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of A W Montgomery, decd late of St Clair county, having been granted to the undersigned on the 3d day of Aug., 1863, by the Probate Court of St Clair county, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

JOHN ALFORD, admr. aug15.
A. A. MONTGOMERY, admx.

Executors Notice.

LETTERS testamentary upon the estate of Peter A. Green, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of St Clair county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law; or they will be barred, and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

A. B. GREEN, ex. aug15
JULIA P. GREEN, ex's

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

August 29 1863.

Dates from Richmond as late as the 22d say there is no immediate prospect of a battle in that section.

On Friday the 21st, the Yankees commenced shelling Chattanooga without giving any notice. Several persons were killed. After being continued for several hours, to which our artillery replied, they retired behind the hills.

On the 22d 12 eight inch shell were thrown into the city of Charleston, from a distance of five miles, but without any casualties. This was done without giving any notice of such intention. Gilmore's demand for the surrender of Forts Sumter and Wagner, with the threat of bombarding Charleston, in case of refusal, was returned by Gen. Beauregard charging him with inhumanity and violating the rules of war in shelling Charleston without notice. He also threatened measures of severe retaliation in case the offence is repeated.

☞ Robt Jemison, Jr, recently elected Pres. of the Ala. Senate, was on Saturday last elected Confederate States Senator, to fill out the unexpired term of Mr. Yancey.

A letter from our Senator, Hon. Thos. A. Walker, dated Aug. 20, says:

"This session will doubtless be confined to the Military organization of the State: joint committees of the two houses have been appointed to frame a Military Bill. I am on the committe. We have met, and have agreed on the mud-sills of the Bill, and are now engaged in the details.

The military age, as agreed upon by the committee, is from 16 to 60. These are divided into two classes—first class from 17 to 45 are to be enrolled and organized into companies &c., subject to the call of the Governor to defend any portion of the State; this class embraces all those who have substitutes, &c. The 2d class includes those of 16, over 45, and under 60, for home defense, and will be organized and confined to their counties, to resist raids and invasions. The question, who are to be exempted is a fruitful ource of trouble, and is not yet agreed upon by the committee."

Another letter from one of our Representatives, D. T. Ryan, dated Aug. 21st says:

"Before my arrival in Montgomery I felt somewhat fearful that we whould have a discordant Legislature, but, on the meeting of that body, I was most agreeably disappointed, as there exists in the Legislature so far, perfect harmony of feeling and concert of action."

FROM CHARLESTON.

Special dispatch to the Montgomery Advertiser

Charleston, Aug. 17.—The bombardment to-day was the heaviest yet heard. The enemy kept up a fire on Sumter and the works on Morris Island until 7 o'clock, with all their land and sea forces. We opened three new batteries on James Island, enfilading the enemy's fleet; which fired 750 shots at Fort Sumter. A number of them took effect but no material damage was done.

Supposing that Sumter was disabled, Admiral Dahlgren, aboard his flag monitor, ran up to approach the fort, when he was opened upon by Sumter and Moultrie, disabling the monitor which floated down the harbor.

Soon after, all the fleet lowered their flags to half mast. It is supposed that Admiral Dahlgren, or some other officer of rank was killed.

Our fire was far heavier than ever before.

The casualties at Fort Sumter were one killed and thirteen wounded; and on Morris island, seven killed and thirty wounded.

Capt. Wampler, of the Engineer Corpss was killed

All of our works remain intact.

The enemy's loss is supposed to be severe.

The victory, so far, is ours.

Charleston, August 21.—The heaviest bombardment of Sumter occurred to-day, and has continued since five o'clock this morning A monitor opened on Sumter this morning, Sumter and Gregg returning the fire, two shots from them striking the monitor turret.

The Ironsides has kept up a furious fire this afternoon on Gregg.

All of our Land batteries on Morris and James Islands, opened on the enemy's batteries at the same time, making a grand fusilade, which was kept up without cessation for two hours. The bombardment is still progressing. The city battery is crowded with spectators.

No casualties heard from.

CROAKING.

By the energetic remonstrance which some of the newspapers address to "croakers," we learn that there is such a class of beings among us. We hear that the gamblers and also the deserters begin to despond of final success, and give their decided opinion that we may as well now patch up a peace on the best terms we can obtain. It is even affirmed that some others, neither gamblers nor deserters, but people of "property," labor under the delusion, that, for all that has yet come and gone, peace might now be made with some sort of pretended reconstruction, some sort of pretended guarantees for local institutions, some more or less humiliating submission—and they care not whether it is more or less—but at any rate, with safety to their dear *property*. They are said to be ready, these creatures, to forfeit honor and violate pledges; if they can only keep their property. And they are so hopelessly blind that they actually believe this sacred property could be now guaranteed to them by submission. Unhappy men! do they not see see that this is the one impossible thing? The Yankees do not want you to sacrifice your honor, gentlemen; *that* would be of no use to them; they care nothing about your pledges, or your personal consistency, or the blood of your sons already poured out, and which you are now ready to make a present of.—They are not troubling themselves about any of all those things; the one single thing they desire, and which they are determined to have, is precisely that very *property* to which you so fondly cling. Nay, if they must choose—if alternative were presented to them—to deprive you of votes and citizenship and honor, but leave you your estates, or to take your estates and leave you all the rest, they would not hesitate one moment; they would take your houses and lands, and make you welcome to votes and guaranties, and civic privileges—aye, and States Rights and all other sorts of "rights"—and much good might they do you!

It is possible, as we have heard, that there are some of the weaker-minded citizens, owners of plantations and of houses and lots, who really dream that submission *now* to the Federal Union might leave them their darling property intact, and so they "croak," and try to make others croak. They do their best to create a spirit of submission, and go about with long faces that would make a cat nervous.

Save their property, indeed! And what then are the Yankees making war for? What has been the object of the investment of so much capital and labor—the creation of such a monstrous debt? Are the Yankees the men to forego the returns on their investments? To make the war pay is their great leading idea; and if we were insane and abject enough to offer them any terms of peace whatsoever, their first demand would be, must be, to provide out of Southern property for payment of their debt—for the reward of their conquering soldiers. It is the express promise of farms in the South that has brought, and is bringing myriads of hungry foreigners into the Yankee ranks, and those men are now fighting directly and *solely* for house and land.—Lincoln's Government would not dare—and if any other Government were to succeed to-morrow, that other government would not dare—to make any peace which would disappoint those Germans and Irish of the estates which they believe themselves to be cutting out with their swords. To disband such an army, give them their arrears of pay, and say to them, "no further occasion for your services, go in peace!" would be merely throwing the whole North into convulsion and revolution and they know it. Be it peace or war—submission now or conquest hereafter—it is Southern estates which the Yankees want and must have; every acre, every lot, built or unbuilt, every herd, and flock, and mine, and mill, and barn—the accumulated wealth of this luxuriant Southern land—the whole of it becomes at once a fund for satisfying those European mercenaries, and upholding the financial credit of the Union.

They are not going to face both revolution and anarchy and bankruptcy to save *your* property for you, ye "croakers!" If there be any of you base enough to calculate—and possibly there be such wretches—that you can make yourselves appear blameless in the eyes of a victorious enemy—that it cannot be proved that you took any part in the "rebellion"—that if your sons did enter the service and pour out their blood to win some "rebel" victory, *you* disapproved the rash young men, and were always Union at heart; if any of you meditate grovelling in this way, eating dirt, dishonoring your own flesh and blood, damning your own souls—and think by this to save the sacred acres—in that case look sharp after your proofs; be ready with irrefragable evidence to manifest your unbroken loyalty to the Union; prove by credible witnesses that you cursed your own dead sons for rebels; yet all will not do; your array of proof will be subjected to a jealous scrutiny indeed; for there stands the prospective occupant of your fair domains, he has come express from the banks of the Elbe or the Weser to have and hold your plantation to him and his heirs forever. Thousands of them are waiting for it, gaping for it; and a good (amended) confiscation act to be worked. Your evidence will need to be conclusive indeed. *you dont fool that crowd.*

If these considerations were well laid to heart, we imagine that many of those who now despond or "croak," would take a more cheerful view of the situation.

But singular to relate, these desponding croakers all appear to belong to civil life.—There are none in the army. When an officer comes down, on some business, to Richmond, he is astonished at the lengthened faces and solemn head-shaking that he sees at street corners. His spirits are damped by the dull atmosphere of inactivity, and he is glad when he rejoins his regiment and sees the starry cross waving over him, and finds himself among the hearty and weather-bronzed *young veterans*, who are "in for the wars," and want to see no end to the war but victory or death. Thousands of them have "property, too;" but they have what is better, honor and manhood, and the high and sacred passion of patriotism, which never suffers them once to dream of compromising by one jot or tittle the glorious sovereignty of their native States, or bargaining with the Yankees, how much of their right they must abandon—how much of their property they may be permitted to hold. They at least know that if the Confederacy go, private property and personal dignity and honor go with it; and they are content to put all on the hazard of battle.

We trust that croaking may be left exclusively to the gamblers, and despondency to the deserters.—*Richmond Enquirer.*

THE AIMS AND PURPOSES OF THE WAR.

It is unquestionably the settled purpose of the Lincoln Government to abolish slavery in the Southern States.—This war is conducted to that end, *and in their hands* will never cease until that ultimate purpose has been accomplished. If Virginia and the whole South were to surrender their claim of self government, and offer to reconstruct the Union on its former footing, giving to the States sovereignty over their own local institutions, the proposal would be received with derision by those evangelical fanatics. They hold themselves to be a chosen agency of Heaven; at once to give freedom to the black man, and to visit retributive vengeance upon the whites for the past wrongs of the negro race.

It is idle to think of peace—if there be among us any such wild dreamers—so long as this fanatical party wields the powers of the Federal Government. No terms but negro emancipation, and negro residence among us, with equality of political and social rights to the blacks would be awarded. Let no man, therefore, deceive himself with the idea that, if subdued, the South would only be restored to its former condition in the Union, with all the rights of their separate State Governments unimpaired. In such an event we bow our necks to the most bitter of all subjection. Massachusetts, Vermont and Connecticut will prescribe our code of domestic morals. We shall be mocked with their construction of our own declaration, "that all men—blacks as well as white they read it—are born free and equal." We all know that this code to be practically enforced, requires the utter abasement, or the absolute extermination of the white race.

Let these results of submission be ever before the minds of our soldiers. Let them arouse to a full sense of what they fight against. It is to repel the advance of this insolent fanaticism which aims to overwhelm their homes with unspeakable wretchedness.

Richmond Enquirer.

ALABAMA LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

Districts.

1st. Mobile—T. L. Coulman.
2d. Baldwin, Monroe and Clarke—R. Broadnax.
3d. Coffee, Covington and Conecuh—D. W. C. Davis.
4th. Dale and Henry—R. P. Peacock.
5th. Barbour—L. L. Cato.*
6th. Pike—L. A. McLeod.
7th. Russell—J. A. Lewis.
8th. Macon—R. F. Ligon.
9th. Montgomery and Autauga—S. F. Rice.*
10th Dallas and Wilcox—R. H. Ervin.
11th. Sumter, Choctaw and Washington—T. Reavis.*
12th. Greene and Marengo: W. C. Clarke*
13th. Perry and Bibb—E. H. Moren.*
14th. Lowndes and Butler—E. Harrison.*
15th. Coosa—W. Garret.
16th. Tallapoosa—W. D. Matthews.*
17th. Chambers—W. H. Barnes.*
18th. Randolph—W. T. Wood.
19th. Talladega—B. W. Grove.*
20th. Calhoun—T. A. Walker.*
21st. Jefferson and Shelby—M. T. Porter.
22d. Tuscaloosa—R. Jemison, Jr.
23d Pickens—J. W. Payne.
24th. Marion and Fayette—A. J. Coleman.
25th. Franklin—W. M. Jackson.
26th. Lawrence, Walker and Winston—J. Hill.*
27th. Blount and St Clair—C. C. Beeson.
28th. Cherokee—F. M. Hardwick.*
29th. Marshall and DeKalb—J. Critcher.
30th. Jackson—F. Rice.
31st. Madison—T. S. Hammond.*
32d. Limestone and Morgan—J. P. Comans.*
33d. Lauderdale—J. W. Stewart.

Those names marked with an asterisk held over.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Autauga—L. Howard.
Baldwin—R. B. Bryars.
Barbour—C. W. Jones, W. H. Chambers, C. A. Parker.
Bibb—T. W. Davis.
Blount—R. Ellis, A. M. Gibson.
Butler—W. H. Crenshaw,* S. F. Gafford.
Calhoun—W. R. Hance, E. T. Head, D. T. Ryan.
Chambers—J. J. McLemore, J. C. Weeks.
Cherokee—T. B. Cooper, J. W. Brandon, W. A. Vincent, G. W. Howell.
Choctaw—J. S. Evans, J. T. Foster.*
Clarke——Kilpatrick.
Coffee—J. G. Moore.
Conecuh—W. Green.
Coosa—T. U. T. McCalla, E. S. C. Parker, J. Vansandt.
Covington—A. Holley.
Dale—F. G. C. Franklin, Dr. H. J. M. Kennon.
Dallas—N. H. R. Dawson, E. Bell.
DeKalb—J. Edwards, G. W. Malone.*
Fayette—A. Cobb, J. Seay.
Franklin— — Orr, — Oates.
Greene—A. Bonner, W. Coleman.*
Henry—G. W. Williams, L. Sarah.
Jackson—J. W. Young, P. Brown, W. H. Robinson.
Jefferson—J. C. Morrow.
Lauderdale—A. McAlexander, T. L. Chisolm.
Lawrence——
Limestone—J. McLelland, J. W. S. Donnell.
Lowndes—P. T. Graves, W. S. May.
Macon—C. J. Bryan, J. Head, A. B. Franklin.
Madison—J. C. Bradley, J. W. Scruggs.
Marengo—W. C. Modawell.
Marion—M. L. Davis, D. W. Hollis.
Marshall—J. Civeley, A. Beard.
Mobile—J. T. Taylor, J. Magee, S. Wolff,* C. F. Moulton.
Monroe—J. S. Cumming.
Montgomery—T. H. Bethea, W. H. Ogbourne.
Morgan—G. P. Charlton.
Perry—J. L. Price, J. H. Chapman.
Pickens—B. Atkinson, J. T. Gardner.
Pike—J. R. Brook, W. R. Cox, G. B. Carlisle.
Randolph—H. W. Armstrong, M. D. Barron, A. A. West.
Russell—D. B. Mitchell, F. A. Nesbit.
St Clair—J. Ashe.
Shelby—J. R. Kennon, S. Leeper.
Sumter—J. Nelmes.
Talladega—J. W. Lawler,* L. E. Parsons, H. Sims.
Tallapoosa—R. T. Ashurst, A. A. Dent, E. Greathouse.
Tuscaloosa—T. P. Lewis, W. A. Bishop.
Walker—J. Ramsey.
Washington—J. S. Ashe.
Wilcox—J. Moore.
Winston—Z. White.

Those marked * were members of the last Legislature.

ALABAMA LEGISLATURE.

EXTRA SESSION.

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SENATE.

Monday, August 17, 1863.

Agreeably to Executive proclamation, the Senate met today, at 11 M., when Mr. Jemison was called to the Chair, and Mr. Lani was appointed Secretary. The Senators present enrolled their names, and the newly elected were duly qualified and took their seats.

The Senate then permanently organized with

R. Jemison, Jr., of Tuscaloosa, President.
Micah Lani of Talladega, Secretary.
J. P. Morgan, of Perry as Assistant Secretary.
R. A. Relfe, of Perry as Door Keeper.

Sundry resolutions were offered and adopted.

A Committe was appointed to act with the House Committee in informing the Governor of the organization of the two houses.

The Governor's Message was received, read and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Barnes introduced the following resolution:

Whereas, in the opinion of this General Assembly, the people and the army have 1st confidence in Generals Hilliard and Pettus, and without questioning in the least the integrity, patriotism and loyalty of either of said Generals,

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Sovereign Economy in General Assembly convened, That the interests of the service and the good of the cause we so dearly love imperatively demand a change in the commands of these respective Generals

Be it further resolved, That the people of Alabama and the State hereby pledge the entire resources of the State to the last dollar and the last man to the successful prosecution of the war now being waged by the North for the subjugation of the Confederate States; and that we will never yield the contest until the achievement and acknowledgement of our independence as a separate people.

Be it further resolved, That the Governor transmit a copy of these resolutions to the President of the Confederate States and to each of the Representatives and Senators in the Confederate Congress

The resolutions were adopted *seriatim*, by yeas and nays.

Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Monday, August 17, 1863.

In accordance with the Executive Proclamation, the members elect to the House met at 11 a. m., when Mr. Cooper of Cherokee, was called to the Chair, Mr. Alex. B. Clitherall at the desk of the Clerk, and Mr. M. M. Nall was appointed doorkeeper.

The members present enrolled their names, and were qualified by Chief Justice Walker.

The House then permanently organized by the election of the following officers:

Walter H. Crenshaw of Butler, Speaker.

A. Elmore, of Montgomery, as Principal Clerk.

A. B. Clitherall of Montgomery, as Assistant Clerk.

D. McCrimmon, of Barbour, as Engrossing Clerk.

M. M. Nall, of Montgomery, as Doorkeeper.

Sundry resolutions were offered and adopted.

The Message of the Governor was received, read and ordered to be printed.

House adjourned.

NOTICE.

In Chancery, 35th Dist.

IN pursuance of a decree of said court, I will on the first Monday in October next, I will proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door of said district, the following described tract of land: the north west fractional quarter, and fraction D, of fractional section 3, in Township 12 range 6, east containing one hundred and fifty-nine 13-100 acres, also fraction B, in section 3, township 12, range 6, east, containing sixty-eight acres, more or less, all lying in said district.

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TO THE SOLDIERS OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES.

After more than two years of warfare scarcely equalled in the number, magnitude and fearful carnage of its battles; a warfare in which your courage and fortitude have illustrated your country and attracted not only gratitude at home but admiration abroad, your enemies continue a struggle in which our final triumph must be inevitable.

Unduly elated with their recent successes, they imagine that temporary reverses can quell your spirit, or shake your determination, and they are now gathering heavy masses for a general invasion, in the vain hope that by a desperate effort success may at length be reached.

You know too well, my countrymen, what they mean by success. Their malignant rage aims at nothing less than the extermination of yourselves, your wives and children. They seek to destroy what they cannot plunder. They propose as the spoils of victory that your homes shall be partitioned among the wretches whose atrocious cruelties stamped infamy on their government. They design to incite servile insurrection, and light the fires of incendiarism wherever they can reach your homes, and debauch the inferior race hitherto docile and contented, by promising indulgences of the vilest passions as the price of treachery. Conscious of their inability to prevail by legitimate warfare, not daring to make peace lest they should be hurled from their seats of power, the men who now rule in Washington refuse even to confer on the subject of putting an end to the outrages which disgrace our age, or listen to a suggestion for conducting the war according to the usages of civilization.

Fellow citizens, no alternative is left you, but victory or subjugation, slavery and the utter ruin of yourselves, your families and your country. The victory is within your reach. You need but stretch forth your hands to grasp it. For this and all that is necessary is that those who are called to the field by every motive that can move the human heart, should promptly repair to the post of duty, should stand by their comrades now in front of the foe, and thus so strengthen the armies of the Confederacy as to ensure success. The men now absent from their posts, would if present in the field, suffice to create a numerical equality between our forces and that of the invaders—and when with any approach to equality have we failed to be victorious? I believe that but few of those now absent are actuated by unwillingness to serve their country; but that many have found it difficult to resist the temptation of a visit to their homes and the loved ones from whom they have been separated; that others left for temporary attention of their affairs with the intention of returning and then shrunk from the consequences of a violation of duty; that others again have left their posts from mere restlessness and a desire for change, each quieting the upbraidings of his conscience, by persuading himself that his individual service could have no influence on the general result.

These and other causes, (although far less disgraceful than the desire to avoid danger, or escape from the sacrifices of patriotism,) are nevertheless, grievous faults, and place the cause of our beloved country, and of everything we hold dear in imminent peril. I repeat that the men who now owe duty to their country, who have been called out and have not yet reported for duty, or who have absented themselves from their posts, are sufficient in number to secure us victory in the struggle now impending.

I call on you then my countrymen to hasten to your camps, in obedience to the dictates of honor and duty, and summon those who have absented themselves without leave: who have remained absent beyond the period allowed by their furloughs, to repair without delay to their respective commands, and I do hereby declare that I grant a general pardon and amnesty to all officers and men within the Confederacy, now absent without leave, who shall with the least possible delay, return to their proper posts of duty; but no excuse will be received for any dely beyond twenty days after the first publication of this proclamation in the State in which the absentee may be at the date of the publication. This amnesty and pardon shall extend to all who have been accused, or who have been convicted and are undergoing sentence for absence without leave, or desertion, excepting only those who have been twice convicted of desertion.

Finally, I conjure my countrywomen—the wives, mothers, sisters, and daughters of the Confederacy—to use their all powerful influence in aid of this call, to aid one crowning sacrifice to those which their patriotism has so freely and constantly afforded on their country's altar, and to take care that none who owe duty in the field shall be sheltered at home from the disgrace of having deserted their duty to their families to their country and to their God.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the Confederate States, at Richmond, this 1st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

{SEAL}

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

By the President:

J. P. Benjamin,
Secretary of State.

Office Comdt. of Conscripts, for Ala.
Talladega, Ala., Aug. 10, 1863.

In accordance with the above proclamation of His Excellency, the President of the Confederate States, I hereby invite all deserters and absentees without leave from the army, in the State of Alabama, to repair forthwith to one of the Camps of Instruction—Camp Buckner, near Talladega, or Camp Watts, near Notasulga—or else to give themselves up to the nearest enrolling officer, to be forwarded to their respective regiments or other corps.

All such deserters and absentees, (with the single exception mentioned by the the President,) will be furnished with transportation to posts of duty—not in arrest, but fully and freely discharged from all proceedings against them for past delinquency.

Enrolling officers, and all others acting under orders from this office, are hereby instructed to suspend all proceedings against deserters and absentees for twenty days from the date of this order, to use every effort for its speedy and general circulation, and to afford every facility to men availing themselves of this opportunity to return to duty. And all good citizens are earnestly invited to cooperate in the same efforts.

"Let bygones, be bygones," that past errors may be retrieved, and their memories lost in the honors of that brighter future, which, by the blessing of a just God, may speedily be ours and our county's, if every man will do his duty.

W. T. WALTHALL,
Major and Com'd't for Ala.

Office Command of Conscripts.
Talladega, Ala., Aug. 6th, 1863.

Extract General Orders, No. 20.

I. Details of overseers heretofore granted under the provisions of Par. III, Gen. Order, No. 12, from this office, dated June 16th, 1863, being illegal, are hereby declared void. Persons holding such details can have them exchange for Exemptions for the same period, on application to the respective District Enrolling Officers.

By order of
Maj. W. T. Walthal,
Commdt. for Alabama.
G. A. Cary, 1st Lieut. & Adjt.
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Office Com'd't, Conscripts
Talladega, Ala., July 28th, 1863.

GEN'L ORDERS
NO. 19.

I. The following notice from the Bureau of Conscription is published for the information of all concerned, particularly of enrolling officers:

NOTICE.

Bureau of Conscription,
Richmond July, 21st, 1863.

To answer numerous inquiries, and to correct errors not uncommon, the following notice is published to all concerned.

1. Under the recent call of the President extending the Conscript age, all substitutions have ceased to be valid, if the substitute be less than 45 years of age, and is not otherwise exempt by law.

2. Membership, unless as an officer duly accepted by the War Department of local organizations for home defence, or special service, confers no claim to exemption from Confederate service: neither does service in the militia, unless in case of officers actually in commission who have been duly qualified.

3. Hereafter any one furnishing a substitute will become liable in his own persons, whenever the services of the substitute are lost to the government from any cause other than the casualties of war.

4. Applications for exemption on any ground whatever must first be addressed to the local enrolling officer, who, if he has not power to act, or is in doubt, will refer them to higher authority, with report of the facts. All such addressed direct to higher authority will necessarily and invariably be referred back for local examination and report; and the application will thus have uselessly lost time and prolonged suspense.

Appeals against adverse decisions by by local officers, will be forwarded by them for hearing, when any plausible ground of appeal is set forth.

(Signed)
G. W. Lay, Lt. Col. A. A. G.
Acting Chief of Bureau.

II. The exemption mentioned in the circular of the Bureau published above, with regard to militia officers, is not applicable to this State. All militia officers not otherwise exempt are liable to conscription.

III. Medical officers engaged in the Conscription service in this State, are not authorized to extend leave of absence to officers or furloughs to soldiers.

IV. Par. III, General Order No. 12, from this office is hereby revoked.

V. Overseers entitled to exemption under the provisions of the Act of May 1st, 1863, upon presentation of the affidavit required by that Act, and the receipt of any bonded quarter Master, for the amount of five hundred ($500) dollars, will be exempted for twelve months, from the date of the receipt, by the commissioned enrolling officers of their respective districts, who will forward the receipt to this office. Enrolling Officers will be careful to give certificates of *exemption*, not of *detail*.

By order of
Maj. W. T. Walthall,
G. A. Cary,
aug15 3t 1st Lt. and Adjt.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of Thos. A. Barr, dec on the 9th day of July, 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala.; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and those indebted are requested to make payment.

July 25. JOHN A. SPAULDING Adm.